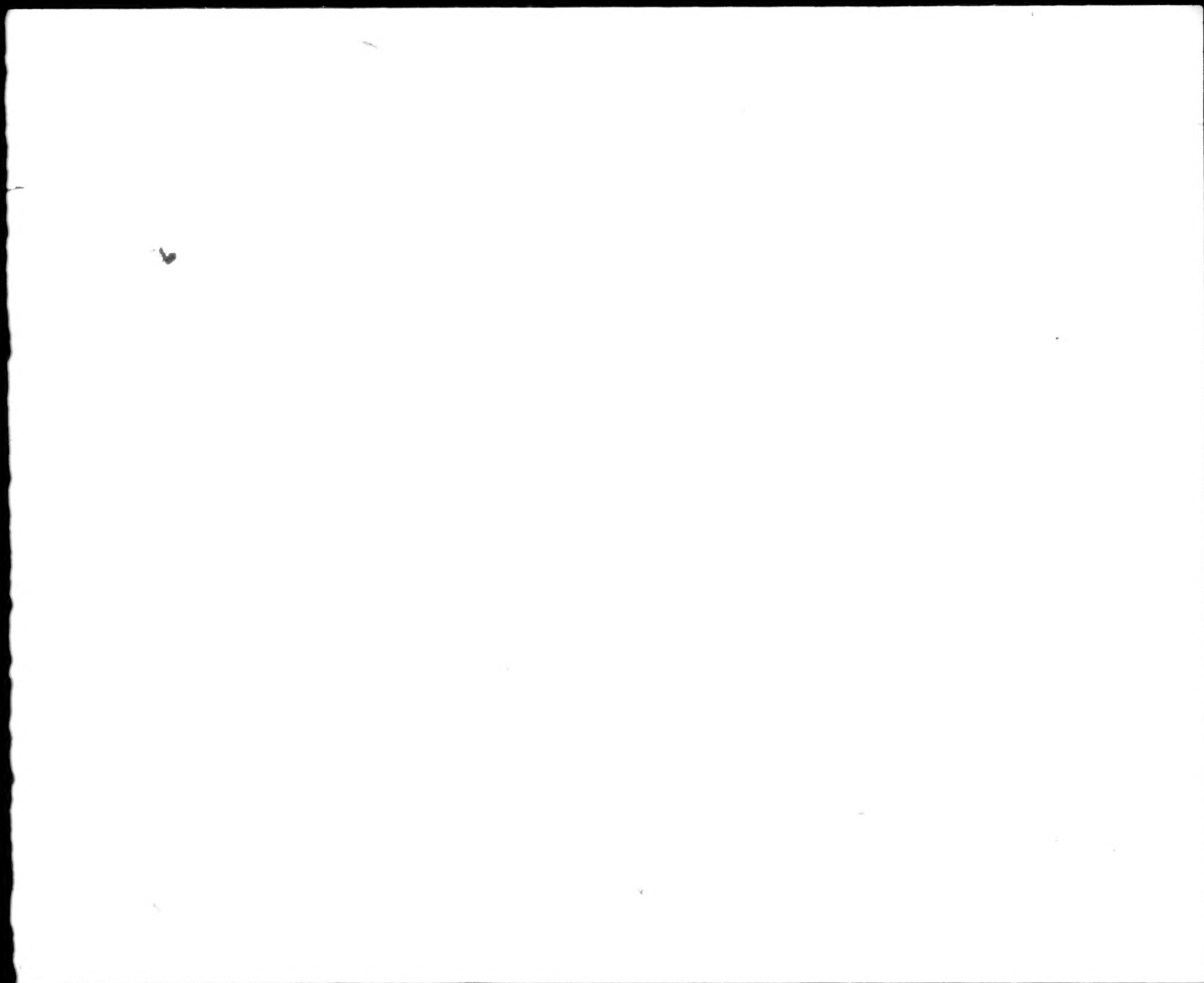


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## INTRODUCTION

On the 348 rolls of this microfilm publication are reproduced the applications submitted for shares of the money that was appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Congress on June 30, 1906. The Eastern Cherokee applications, August 29, 1906-May 26, 1909, are part of the Guion Miller Enrollment Records that are among the records of the U.S. Court of Claims. This publication also includes a general index to Eastern Cherokee applications (two vols.).

### History

Before the U.S. Court of Claims was established in 1855 there was no procedure by which claims arising against the U.S. Government could be enforced by suit. Consideration of claims was provided for when the Treasury Department was established in 1789; later acts of the Congress authorized the Department to settle all claims by or against the Government. If a claim was rejected by the Treasury Department, the claimant's only course of action was to appeal directly to the Congress. Petitions to that body for relief had become so numerous by the middle of the 19th century that the Congress was beginning to find it impossible to make the proper and necessary investigations for actions on the claims.

The U.S. Court of Claims was established by an act of February 24, 1855, to hear claims against the United States including those referred to the court by the Congress, based on any law of the Congress, any regulation of an executive department, or any contract with the Government, whether explicit or implied. Under this act the court served only as a factfinding agency, and its conclusions were submitted to the Congress for approval and for the granting of awards. In 1863 the Congress enlarged the court's jurisdiction and gave it authority to render judgments against the Government, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. An act of 1925 abolished appeals from the Court of Claims to the Supreme Court and substituted writs of certiorari.

An act approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat. 726), gave the Court of Claims jurisdiction over any claim arising under treaty stipulations that the Cherokee Tribe, or any band thereof, might have against the United States and over any claims that the United States might have against any Cherokee Tribe or band. Suit for such a claim was to be instituted within 2 years after the act was approved. As a result, three suits were brought before the court concerning grievances arising out of the treaties:

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(1) *The Cherokee Nation v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23199; (2) *The Eastern and Emigrant Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23212; and (3) *The Eastern Cherokees v. The United States*, General-Jurisdiction Case No. 23214.

On May 18, 1905, the court decided in favor of the Eastern Cherokees and instructed the Secretary of the Interior to identify the persons entitled to participate in the distribution of funds for payment of the claims. On June 30, 1906, the Congress appropriated more than \$1 million for this purpose. The task of compiling a roll of eligible persons was begun by Guion Miller, special agent of the Interior Department. In a decree of April 29, 1907, the court (1) vacated that part of its earlier decision that had given the Secretary of the Interior responsibility for determining the eligibility of claimants and (2) appointed Miller as a special commissioner of the Court of Claims.

The same decree also provided that the fund was to be distributed to all Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians who were alive on May 28, 1906, who could establish the fact that at the time of the treaties they were members of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe or were descendants of such persons, and that they had not been affiliated with any tribe of Indians other than the Eastern Cherokee or the Cherokee Nation. The decree further provided that claimants should already have applications on file with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, or should file such applications with the special commissioner of the Court of Claims on or before August 31, 1907. Additionally, applications for minors and persons of unsound mind were to be filed by their parents or persons having their care and custody, and applications for persons who had died after May 28, 1906, were to be filed by their children or legal representatives.

In his report of May 28, 1909, Miller stated that 45,847 separate applications had been filed, representing a total of about 90,000 individual claimants, 30,254 of whom were enrolled as entitled to share in the fund--3,203 residing east and 27,051 residing west of the Mississippi River. On June 10, 1909, the court confirmed and approved the roll, submitted by Miller in his report, of Eastern Cherokees who were entitled to a share of the fund except "so much as shall be expected (excepted) to on or before August 30, 1909." After the exceptions had been filed and investigated, Miller submitted a supplemental report and roll to the court on January 5, 1910. In this report he stated that about 11,750 exceptions had been made, that the names of 610 persons (238 east and 372 west of the Mississippi) had been added to the roll, and that the names of 44 persons (5 east and 39 west of the Mississippi) had been stricken from the roll because clerical errors in enrollment had been discovered. Thus the final figure on the total number of persons entitled to share in the fund was 30,820, of which 3,436 persons



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resided east and 27,384 resided west of the Mississippi River. On March 15, 1910, the court finally decreed that the rolls be approved and that, after certain deductions for expenditures, payments were to be made equally among the Eastern Cherokees who were enrolled. The court also authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a warrant in favor of each person.

In certifying the eligibility of the Cherokees, Miller used earlier census lists and rolls that had been made of the Cherokees by Hester, Chapman, Drennen, and others between 1835 and 1884. Copies of some of these rolls and the indexes to them are filed with the Miller records (filmed as M685). Other enrollment records used by Miller are among the classified subject files of the Bureau and are designated as "33931-11-053 Cherokee Nation."

### Records

The applications contain sworn evidences of identity and were filed with the Interior Department's Office of Indian Affairs until April 29, 1907 (the last application was No. 22268), after which the applications were filed directly with the court. The application required each claimant to state fully his or her English and Indian names, residence, age, place of birth, name of husband or wife, name of tribe, and names of children. It further required the English and Indian names of the claimant's parents and grandparents, place of their birth, place of their residence in 1851 if they were living at that time, dates of their death, and a statement as to whether any of them had ever before been enrolled as Indians for annuities or other benefits and, if so, with what tribe. Each claimant was also to furnish the names of all brothers and sisters, with their ages and residences, and the names and residences of all uncles and aunts. Applications were required to be made under oath and to be supported by affidavits of two witnesses who were well acquainted with the applicant. With each application is a card showing final action taken and the reasons therefore. Filed with many of the applications are inquiries concerning the status of the cases, requests for further evidence, protests about unfavorable actions, form letters that had been sent by the special commissioner to the applicants as notices of rejection of their applications and returned by the Post Office Department as unclaimed, affidavits and statements of witnesses, powers of attorney, and last wills and testaments. The applications are arranged by the number assigned at the time the application was received. There are some gaps in the application numbers; these are explained on insert sheets at the appropriate places on the film. The index is arranged alphabetically by name (either English or Indian) of claimant.

Many of the files contain a cross-reference card to other applications. This cross-reference card often refers to the EX file, the report on exceptions filed by Miller on January 5, 1910.



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### Related Records

The records reproduced in this microfilm publication are part of the records in the custody of the National Archives and Records Service (NARS) designated as Records of the U.S. Court of Claims, Record Group (RG) 123. Among related records in this record group are additional records relating to Miller's enrollment of the Eastern Cherokees. These include receipts for Treasury warrants and miscellaneous correspondence, 1906-11. The original of these records is in RG 123; a copy is in RG 75.

Some related records in Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, RG 75, have been reproduced as NARS Microfilm Publication T496, *Census Roll, 1835, of the Cherokee Indians East of the Mississippi and Index to the Roll*. Also in RG 75 are the classified subject files of the Bureau.

*Records Relating to Enrollment of Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller, 1908-10*, M685, contains the general index to Eastern Cherokee applications, 2 volumes; the report submitted by Guion Miller, May 28, 1909, 10 volumes; the roll of Eastern Cherokees, May 28, 1909; the report on exceptions filed, January 5, 1910; the supplemental roll of Eastern Cherokees, January 5, 1910; transcripts of testimony, February, 1908-March 1909, 10 volumes; various indexes and rolls of Eastern Cherokee Indians, 1851, 1854, and 1884; and miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Additional records relating to the enrollment of Eastern Cherokee Indians are in Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior, Record Group 48.

These records were prepared for filming by Jestine Turner and William D. Grover, who also prepared these introductory remarks.

No. 36651.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Walter Viar,* and *1* children Residence: *Dyersburg, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Uncle of #36642, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

36651

No. 15995

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Viar*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED  
U. S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR  
JUL 22 1907

15995

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Walter Vior

Indian name: " " Lane

2. Residence and post office: Dyer

3. County: Dyer

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Dyer County

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Annie Vior

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bruce C Vior</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Andrew J Vior & Delia Vior

Father—English name: Andrew J Vior

Indian name: " " Lane

Mother—English name: Delia Vior

Indian name: " " Lane

Maiden name: Delia Reason

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Virginia

Mother: East Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ellen Byler</u>		
	<u>Annanda Bay Ar</u>		
(2)	<u>Holton Vior</u>		
	<u>Wamin Daniels</u>		
(3)	<u>Wamin Bost</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Rott Vior</u>	
<u>" Lane</u>	
<u>James Vior</u>	
<u>" Lane</u>	

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Virginia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Rott Vior</u>	
(2)	<u>James Vior</u>	
(3)	<u>Peter Vior</u>	
(4)	<u>William Vior</u>	
(5)	<u>Potter Vior</u>	
(6)	<u>Asa Vior</u>	
	<u>Geo Vior</u>	
	<u>Andrew Vior</u>	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Walter A. Auer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

James Ferguson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 8th

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Sam Ferguson

and G. A. Finch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sam. Ferguson

G. A. Finch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 8th

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James Ferguson

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 7, 1907  
No. 36651

*Wm. H. H. H.*  
DEC 9 1907

W. H. V. 1880

No. 2005-2

Action: Rejected

Name: James M. Scott and no children. Residence: Chicago, Ill.

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled.  
Does not appear that this man claims either the  
rights of the Cherokee Nation in 1857-58 or 1876 as recognized  
members of the tribe. Father was in the Scottish Mother  
in law. Lived in the...

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No. 36652

Reg

Name Samuel W. Scott

With No.

Remarks: e

That are rolls,

Rejected

Applicant has a lot  
in 10 rolls in  
wells of water, from  
the 10th to the 14th  
and 15th of May  
from the 10th to the 14th  
of May.



No. 31072

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Samuel W. Scott

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1906, and Dec. 22, 1906.

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36652

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Jessy Rodden Scott	27	1873
(2)	McDaniel Burr Scott		1876
(3)	Mary E. Scott	48	1863
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bearsville Cooper Co Missouri  
Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in the year 1857  
Mother: " " " " 1887

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Jas Sturges</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>No</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Millieet Ruffin

18. Where were they born?

Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Shelburne Kentucky

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Nat Enemy

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: NC

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a son of the parties above mentioned

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Samuel Walter Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

Charles H. Fogg  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 18<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John S. Murray  
and Rufus Thomasson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Samuel Walter Scott  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for six years and  
37 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. S. Murray  
Rufus Thomasson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 18<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

Charles H. Fogg  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

*Rec.* JUN 23 1909

*No.* 30652



Chicago June 21 - 1909  
to the Special  
Commissioner of the Court of  
Claims. Dear Sir the  
application No 36652

Court of Claims Received  
and contents noted - will  
say Grandmother's PO address  
was Shelbyville Kentucky  
in 1851 to 55 that is where  
she lived and died. the  
fax in the application is  
before the court

Respectfully yours

Samuel M. Scott

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Aug 31 1909  
8-45-2

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in connection [redacted]

Coffeyville, Kansas

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60. On the ground  
the following are

[illegible]

No. 36653.

Name Fred E. Brown, Jr. and X children. Action: *Reject*  
Reasons: *for* *Henry R. Brown* Residence: *Callous, Tenn.*

*Claims through the same source as # 32801*

No. 36653-54

Name

With No. 36404

Remarks:

Hand 2. Brown hair  
Indicia 5. "

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*Fred C. Brown* <sup>OF</sup> *Guardian*  
*of*  
*Flora Rosalie Brown* *minor*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 20, 1907.

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5593

# Application of Guardian for

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

Application of Frederic E. Brown, Guardian of

1. State full name—

English name:

Floy Rosalie Brown, a minor under 21.

Indian name:

Hamon

2. Residence and post office:

Allons

3. County:

Overtown

4. State:

Tennessee

5. How old are you?

is ward: 10

Born

Feb 22, 1897.

6. Where were you born?

In Overtown Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married?

X

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	X		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of <sup>wards</sup> your father and mother, and <sup>wards</sup> your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

X

Indian name:

X

Mother—English name:

Marantha Belle Brown

Indian name:

Hamon

Maiden name:

Marantha B. Brown

12. Where were they born?

Father:

X

Mother:

In Overtown Co., Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: X

Mother: Dec. 2, 1906

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all <sup>wanted</sup> ~~your~~ brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

X

Eng' Jas G & Sarah A.C. (Harmon)  
Brown  
(Ind) Harmon

18. Where were they born? G. Brown in Cumberland Co., Ky. A.C. Brown in same Co., Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co., Tenn. I think.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Stanley G. Brown</u>	<u>Adams, Tenn.</u>
(2)	<u>Hettie H.</u>	<u>Reynolds PO not known</u>
(3)	<u>Marintina B.</u>	<u>" " but left the above illegitimate child.</u>
(4)	<u>Emelia E.</u>	<u>" "</u>
(5)	<u>John L.</u>	<u>" "</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah C.</u>	<u>" "</u>
(6)	<u>James G.</u>	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Emma R. J.</u>	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Albert S.</u>	<u>" Adams, Tenn.</u>
	<u>John G.</u>	<u>dead.</u>
	<u>Calista C.</u>	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Frederic E.</u>	<u>" Adon</u>

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Marquette B. Brown, mother: J. G. & J. A. C.

(Harmon) Brown grandparents; indian blood through the Harmons

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

ward claims descent from Charles Harmon  
"The Grey Horse", a Cherokee half blood

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fred E. Brown Guardian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W. C. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5

1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. C. Ogletree

and

M. L. Ogletree

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Fred. E. Brown, Guardian of May R. Brown, minor.

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, <sup>also the child</sup> and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. C. Ogletree

M. L. Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5

1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36654.

Action:

*Reject*

Name *Frederic E. Brown* and *X* children. Residence: *Albany, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 32981*

No. 000004

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Frederic Edmund Brown*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Frederic Edmund Brown

Indian name: Hannon

2. Residence and post office: Albion

3. County: Overton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 28 Born July 24, 1879.

6. Where were you born? In Overton Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James G. Brown

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Sarah L. C. Brown

Indian name: Hannon

Maiden name: Heac

12. Where were they born?

Father: Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: do



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Jackson (now Overton) Co, Tenn.

Mother: " " Overton " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jan 29, 1891.

Mother: Mar 4, 1893.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hettie H. Brown (Reynolds P. Overton) Apr. 6, 1860		
	Martha D. " dead	Dec 10, 1864	Dec 9, 1900
(2)	Rebecca E. " "	Dec 22, 1866.	Oct 15, 1892.
	John L. " "	Feb 12, 1868.	I don't remember.
(3)	Frank C. " "	" 26, 1870.	Oct 25, 1874.
	James G. " Jr., "	June 25, 1872	(I don't remember.)
(4)	Emma R. " "	Dec 8, 1875.	Oct 2, 1892.
	Albert S. " Allons, Tenn.	" 12, 1873.	
(5)	Tom H. " dead	Jan. 12, 1878.	Feb - , 1899.
	Calista C. " (dead)	Aug 3, 188	June 30, 1882.
(6)	Stirling G. " Allons, Tenn.	Aug 7, 1862.	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Eng. James Brown	Eng. Stirling Neal
Ind. none	Ind. Harmon

18. Where were they born? I don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) George W. Neal, dead
- (2) John R. " "
- (3) Emma " "
- (4) Kelly " Allons, Tenn.
- (5) S. A. C. " dead
- (6) James James Allons, Tenn.
- Paul Neal " "
- L. " Buena, W. Va., James, Tenn.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: J.G. & A.C. Harmon, Brown, parents; Starling  
real + - (Harmon, real grand parents; Charles Harmon, I think, was  
my great, great grandfather

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

a claim descends through the Harmon, Charles Harmon,  
the late Harve a Cherokee Indian, originally from Moore  
Co, Tenn, or North Carolina, being my great great grandfather.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Frederick E. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of August, 1907.

W.W. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W.W. Fiske

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Frederic E. Brown

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W.W. Fiske

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36655

Action: *Repet*

Name *Tennessee Cole* and *2* children.

Residence: *Salisbury*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #16346, and claims through  
the same ancestor.*

No. 36655  
Name *Amos*  
With No. 16346

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*ennessee Cole*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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15495

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Tennessee Cole  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Residence and post office: Salpersville
3. County: Magoffin
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you? 22 Born in 1885
6. Where were you born? in Magoffin Co Ky.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ida Trusty about 29 yrs old
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Candis Cole</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Apr. 1905</u>
(2)	<u>Trissa Cole</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>May 1906</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_
- Eli Umphreys Nancy A. Cole
- Father—English name: Eli Umphreys  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Mother—English name: Nancy A. Cole  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?
- Father: in Magoffin Co Ky.
- Mother: " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Don't know

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't know

Mother: Died in 1898

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Belhany Cole</u>	<u>About 25y old</u>	<u></u>
	<u>Myrtle Cole</u>	<u>" 21 "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(2)	<u>Alonza Cole</u>	<u>" 13 "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Expkil Cole</u>	<u></u>
<u>Spicie Barnett</u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>
<u></u>	<u></u>

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Na

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Tennessee X Cole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

A. B. Patrick

and

Burl T. Patrick

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Tennessee Cole

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 7 years and

7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses,

A. B. Patrick

Burl T. Patrick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>

1908

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

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App. No. 36655

September 6, 1907.

Tennessee Cole,

Wyersville, Kentucky.

Sir:

Please notify this Office at once as to the exact date of  
the birth of your child, Tressa Cole.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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RECEIVED  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
SEP 19 1907  
No. 36655

File

Salisburyville  
March 1917

Dear Mr. Miller: Special Commissioner  
of the State of New York

and of the County of New York  
I have the honor to acknowledge  
the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst.

and in reply to inform you

that the same has been forwarded  
to the proper authorities.



No. 2661  
Name *Porter, W. C. & W. C. Porter, Wm.* Action: *Permit*  
*and* children. Residence: *Wesley, Ark.*  
Reasons: *By order of the court.*

No. 2065

Name. J. H. H. H.

With No. 277

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### APPLICATION

*Gertrude Hochstetter*  
mother and guardian of  
*Burl and Lena Hochstetter,*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, '92 Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR: *a mother and natural guardian of minor children below mentioned*

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Gertrude Hochstetter*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: *Ursula*

3. County: *Sebastian*

4. State: *Arkansas*

5. How old are you? *29 years old* Born *Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 1877*

6. Where were you born? *Sebastian County, Arkansas*

7. Are you married? *widow*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Grant Hochstetter, died Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> 1904*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Eastern Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Karl Hochstetter</i>	<i>7 years old</i>	<i>Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> 1899</i>
(2)	<i>Lena Hochstetter</i>	<i>5 years old</i>	<i>Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> 1902</i>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of <sup>their</sup> your father and mother, and <sup>their</sup> your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: *Grant Hochstetter*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: *Gertrude Hochstetter*

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: *Gertrude Johnston*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Washington County in State of Arkansas*

Mother: *Sebastian County in State of Arkansas*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born then

Mother: Not born then

14. Date of death of <sup>their</sup> father and mother:

Father: Aug 18th, 1904

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all <sup>their</sup> your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Said		
(2)	Miner Children		
(3)	Sisters		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

have no other brothers or

17 State English and Indian names of <sup>their</sup> your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Stephen Hochstetter James Johnston  
Sarah Calvard Hochstetter Sue Calvard

18. Where were they born? <sup>Said knew where Stephen Hochstetter was born</sup>  
<sup>Sarah Calvard Hochstetter was in Washington Co. Arkansas</sup>  
<sup>James Johnston born in Tennessee, Sue Calvard in Ark.</sup>

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? <sup>Stephen Hochstetter and</sup>  
<sup>Sarah Calvard Hochstetter in Cherokee Nation</sup>  
<sup>James Johnston and Sue Calvard in Arkansas</sup>

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Grand Hochstetter	Cherokee Nation at death
(2)	Emily Hochstetter	Patawalama Co. Okla.
(3)	George Hochstetter	Patawalama Co. Okla.
(4)	Mattie Hochstetter	Patawalama Co. Okla.
(5)	Willie Hochstetter	Texas
(6)	Olivia Hochstetter	Died 1896 in Okla.

<sup>minor</sup>  
Said Children born at Grand parents  
Johnston Campbell Cherokee Nation  
Emily Calvard Campbell Cherokee Nation



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No neither I nor said  
minor children

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know their  
Indian names.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Gertrude Hochstetter  
Mother and natural guardian of Bessie Hochstetter and Emma Hochstetter, minors  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

J. A. Pettigrew  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
March 16th 1910, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me William L. Bryan and Edmund  
and D. Norikum, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Gertrude Hochstetter  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and  
2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William L. Bryan  
Edmund D. Norikum

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires  
March 16th 1910, 1907. J. A. Pettigrew  
Notary Public.

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No. 36657

Action: *Repet*

Name *William Vann* and *1* children Residence: *Cedar, Chas.*

Reasons:

*Applicant shows no real connection with Eastern Cherokees; his Mother was a slave at time of his birth. Applicant is enrolled by Dawes Commission, as Cherokee Indian #2384.*

#36657

*Misc. Test. P. 2154.*

No. 36657

Name W<sup>m</sup> Sam

With No. 1000000000

Remarks:

That are roll.

No. 61057

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Wm Vann*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36257

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: William Vann  
Indian name: Conattoha
2. Residence and post office: Cedar Ind Terry
3. County: Northern Judicial Dist.
4. State: Ind Terry
5. How old are you? 43 Born Jan. 17th 1864.
6. Where were you born? at the Boyd Place Choctaw Nation
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Victoria Vann.
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:
- |     | NAME.           | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Eli Vann</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>1895</u> |
| (2) |                 |           |             |
| (3) |                 |           |             |
| (4) |                 |           |             |
| (5) |                 |           |             |
| (6) |                 |           |             |
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
- Father—English name: James Vann  
Indian name: Wont Know
- Mother—English name: Rosanna Brown  
Indian name: Ochalaha  
Maiden name: Rosanna Brown
12. Where were they born?
- Father: James Vann Born in Tenn.
- Mother: Rosanna Brown Born in Tenn.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

James Vann was living in Cherokee Nation

Mother:

Rosanna Brown " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

James Vann died during the war.

Mother:

Rosanna Brown is yet living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

I have been enrolled with the Cherokee for both moneys and land

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sam Brown	1853	deceased
	Almyra Crosslin	1855	
(2)	Jerry Humphreys	1857	
	Evelyn Campbell	1859	
(3)	Idby McClure	1861	
	Rosetta Ellis	1863	
(4)	Nathan Melton	1867	
	Lev. Melton	1869	
(5)	Mary Watson	1877	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Joe Vann  
Culleskaawee

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jennie Vann  
Genie "

18. Where were they born?

In Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Joe Vann was dead at that time. My Grand mother was here at Webbers Falls, Ky.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Johnny Vann	James Vann	Deceased
(2)	Wavy Vann	Delila Vann	"
(3)	Joe Vann Jr.	Clay Vann	"
(4)	Gallie Vann	Amanda Vann	Deceased
(5)	Sophia Vann		
(6)			

all the above lived at Webbers Falls  
Ind. Ky.

These are the names of  
my half Brothers and sis-  
ters on my mothers side  
all of Toroman I.

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19. Where did h

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes have been enrolled for moneys and land with the Cherokees

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I can only give the names I have mentioned above and no others

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William J. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Aug 1907.

Readus Moore

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 22nd, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. C. Campbell  
and Nathan Milton, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William J. Moore  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 years and  
23 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Victoria Campbell

B. C. Campbell

Osa Campbell

Nathan Milton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April 22nd, 1908.

Readus Moore

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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~~Reject~~

W. L. M. A.  
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Appl. 36657

May 7, 1908.

William Vann,  
Cedar, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided in 1834-35, if living at that time.

Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/ALE



App. No. 36657.

Misc.

William Vann, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is William Vann. I am about 44 years old. ~~xxxxxx~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ Coffey-  
~~xxxxxx~~ Kansas. I live in Oklahoma. Have lived in the Territory  
all my life in Sequoyah District. I was enrolled by the Commissioner  
to the Five Civilized Tribes as a Cherokee Freedman, Roll No. 2384.  
I have been enrolled every time an enrollment has been made. I got  
Strip money. I get my blood from my father. He lived on the line  
of Sequoyah and Flint District. I do not know where my father was  
born. My mother said he came from Tennessee. My mother was a slave  
of Indians. My father was my mother's young master, James Vann.  
My mother got her freedom after the war. I don't remember my father.  
They were never married. Jo Vann was my grandfather. Jo Vann was  
an Indian. He lived on the line of the two Districts, Flint and  
Sequoyah. My mother had some Indian blood. My mother has filed  
an application; her name is Rosannah Brown. I have never asso-  
ciated with any other tribe of Indians. My father and his people  
never associated with any other tribe of Indians. I do not know  
whether my father and his father were ever enrolled. I had an  
uncle Bill on my father's side. I heard he was dead.

*William Vann*

Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Lenapeh, Oklahoma,  
this 22nd day of August, 1908.

*A. S. Marine*

Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* DEC 18 1908

*No.* 36657

Edleyville, Tenn

Dec 12, 1908

Commissioner

Washington

Sir

I am writing you a letter

in regard of my

application for a Red

cross to secure an affidavit

from a member of my

family all the dead

is of the family

is dead &

lived with my uncle

John. I heard when I was

When I was boy he was

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* DEC 18 1908  
*No.*



my father uncle But  
he is dead my father  
Died and was a  
holy when my father  
Died I was a faint  
and wants old and  
my father I see in  
last small house and  
my mother was fine  
the day I died

Sam J. Taylor  
William Taylor  
L. R. Taylor

4157 East 1st St

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. DEC 18 1908  
A.

State of Okla.  
County of Sequoyah

Vol No. 36657.

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public of the above named State & County, Nathan Melton & Rosanna Melton & upon oath stated that they had heard James Vann, father of William Vann, acknowledge him (William Vann) to be his son.

And Rosanna Melton further states that she is the mother of the said William Vann.

Witness: G. W. Lane

W. F. Madden

Nathan Melton

Rosanna <sup>her</sup> Melton

Subscribed & sworn to before me  
this 11th day of Dec. 1908

Millard G. Slaughter N. P.

My Com. expires March 31st 1908.

No. 86658

Action: *Asetic*

Name *Leah M. White* and *no* children. Residence: *Quincy, Fla.*

Reasons:

*Second cousin of 8535. Claims the same name.*

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No. 6658



Name J. H. ...

With No. 15351

Remarks:



No. 1054

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Joseph William Fitch White*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Joseph William Fletcher White

Indian name:

Dennis

2. Residence and post office:

Quincy

3. County:

Gadsden

4. State:

Florida

5. How old are you?

43

Born

October 22, 1863

6. Where were you born?

Monroe County, Louisiana

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

- |     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
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| (1) |       |      |       |
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| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Samuel Andrew Jackson White

Indian name:

Dennis

Mother—English name:

Sarah Hassie White

Indian name:

Name

Maiden name:

Sarah Hassie Farshie

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Monroe County, Louisiana

Mother:

Monroe County, Louisiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ouston County Tennessee

Mother: Marrow County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1-15-1875

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mattie Ella Reed	-1861	
	John A. White	-1866	
(2)	Charles W. White	1867	2-11-1877
	Evan J. White	1872	4-26-1876
(3)	Samuel B. White	1873	5-9-1877
	Edward D. White	5-2-1870	Livingston, Tenn. P.C.
(4)	Wing S. Armstrong	1875	Angels Texas P.C.
	James S. White	1877	Marrow, Tenn.
(5)	Bodina M. White	1879	Terrell Texas P.C.
	Mrs. Bessie Leff	1880	Wales, Tenn. P.C.
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
William G. White, English	Joseph Farshie } both Irish
Mary White, English	Ella Farshie }
Mary Dennis, Indian	Grand mother's maiden name was Ellen Parker.

18. Where were they born? Grand mother Mary Dennis in Goswell Co. N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time?

He lived in Ouston Co. Tenn. for three years in Marrow Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John B. White	Angels, Tenn.
(2)	John S. White	Livingston, Tenn. 278 - Marrow Co.
(3)	Samuel A. White (dead)	
(4)	Edward W. White	Livingston, Tenn.
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Descendant: S. A. J. White (Dennis)  
Nancy White (Dennis), daughter of John Dennis  
of N. H. the Indians.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

see all the White Applications from Cassin Co. Ind.  
and all other applications claiming descent from  
John Dennis of Casswell County N. C.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joseph William Fletcher White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August 1907.

Robert L. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1st, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. M. G. Costa  
and E. A. Hargrave, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Joseph William Fletcher White  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in the claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joseph William Fletcher White  
E. A. Hargrave

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1st, 1909.

Robert L. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

Note: Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. \_\_\_\_\_, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 36652

Action: Admitted

Name Mary E. Hays and 1 children.

Residence: Pryor Creek, Okla.

Reasons: Piece of 11 30

Admitted to the Union

10-10-05

No. 36659  
Name Dennis E Keys  
With No. 3044

Remarks:

No. 3044  
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Nannie E. Keys.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nannie E. Riley-Keys

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Pryor Creek, I. T.

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? 23 Born 1883

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Donnie E. Keys, age 29 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gordon Lindsey Key</u>	<u>22 months</u>	<u>Oct. 25, 1905.</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: J. M. Riley

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nannie Riley

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nannie Brewer

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee Nation, I. T.

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Cherokee Nation

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: On all rolls since birth

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Mattie Riley-Skinner</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>Living</u>
<u>Vinita, I. T.</u>		
(2) <u>Eberie Riley</u>	<u>1882</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>		
(3) <u>Gilder Riley</u>	<u>1889</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>		
(4) <u>Owen Riley</u>	<u>1890</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>		
(5) <u>Marie Riley</u>	<u>1894</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>		
(6) <u>Jack Riley Jr.</u>	<u>1896</u>	<u>"</u>
<u>Pryor Creek, I. T.</u>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joe Riley, white.

George Brewer

Mattie Riley, nee Fields.

Cherokee Brewer, nee Bateliff.

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Nation, Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation, I. T.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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|-----|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: On all rolls since birth

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

For a fuller genealogy see application of J. M. Riley, and his wife, Nannie E. Erew-r-Riley.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Nannie E. Riley Key)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August 1907.

James M. Key  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 20<sup>th</sup> 1911

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. V. Jones

and Clarence E. Markham, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nannie E. Riley-Key

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. V. Jones

Clarence E. Markham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 20<sup>th</sup> 1911

James M. Key  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

*Proven*



No. 36660  
Name Sherman Nichols and 1 children. Residence: Sublett, Ky.  
Reasons: Cousin of #16346, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

Action: Reject

No. 36660

Name Sherman Mitchell

With No. 16346

Remarks:

12-26-10 Given

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Sherman Nickell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 O'Faray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Andy Nickels	14	May 9 - 1903
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not known

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 15 - 1886

Mother: June 1st 1892

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Angeline Nickels	Not known	Not known
(2)	Elizabeth Nickels	Not known	Not known
(3)	Martha Nickels	Oct 13 - 1876	
(4)	May Nickels	Not known	Not known
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Ben Collins	Harvey Nickels
Harvey Nickels	John Nickels
	Screech Nickels

18. Where were they born? Not known

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Floyd County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Bettison Nickels	in Ariz
(2)	Billy Nickels	" "
(3)	Edna Nickels	" "
(4)	Trumble Nickels	" "
(5)	Isotta Nickels	" "
(6)	Lynah Nickels	" "
7	Brachinridge Nickels	" "
8	Leander Nickels	" "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Ben Collins & Harney Nickels

on Father's side John Nickels & Suckey Nickels on  
mother's side India <sup>Suckey</sup> Name Cole

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sherman X Nickels

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

B. W. Higgins

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Buddy Guttall

and Menzie Louby, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Sherman Nickels

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Buddy Guttall

Menzie Louby

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 1908 B. W. Higgins A.R.M.C.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



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the 16th of June  
the 17th of June

No. 2661

Action: *Excluded*

Name: *Thomas Wright*

and *1* children.

Residence: *Manson, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Excluded because the same cause*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mony Wright.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Monny Wright  
English name: Beatty  
Indian name: leahb  
2. Residence and post office: Mansau. Tennes  
3. County: Franklin County  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 48 Born 1859  
6. Where were you born? Franklin County Tenn  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Will Wright  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Doniel Wright</u>	<u>26.</u>	<u>1880</u>
(2)	<u>Alemaus</u>	<u>23.</u>	<u>1885</u>
(3)	<u>Famira</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1887</u>
(4)	<u>Jane</u>	<u>19.</u>	<u>1887</u>
(5)	<u>Tildy</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1890</u>
(6)	<u>Bentau</u>	<u>13.</u>	<u>1893</u>
	<u>Gravells</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Alen. Beatty, Sally. Beatty nee Cobb.  
Father—English name: Beatty  
Indian name: Wann  
Mother—English name: Stephen  
Indian name: Cobb  
Maiden name: Cobb

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County Tenn  
Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kentness County Tenn

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1870

Mother: 11-1871

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Tildy Bealy Retsin. Ten	1845-	Still living
(2)	Lidly Baker.	1844 1858	Dead 1881
(3)	Jesse Bealy Granchy Ten	1855-	Living
(4)	Harrie Coker Juno Bealy	1858 1860	Dead Living
(5)	Mansum David	1861	
(6)	Beatland Ten		Living

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Name: Madeline & Cooper

18. Where were they born? Trukhmeny, Ukraine.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Freeport

Curate, Tenser

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Huldry Cabbe Dead Jesse. Healt Dead  
(2) Sarcinel. " " Pulley 1. 1. 1. 1.  
(3) Jahn. " " Still Lining at  
(4) Debarah. " Rife May  
(5) Fuccina " Elisabeth  
(6) Jace. " " "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John Cabb - was -  
Mary Grandfather and his mother  
was Francis Cabb - who was a  
Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hear my applicant J W Eames of  
Jamestown Texas my ally to  
Prabante this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary <sup>her</sup> Wright -

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

J W Eames  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Bowden &  
and Geo Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary Wright -  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo Smith  
John Bowden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

16<sup>th</sup> April 1910. J W Eames  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 8662

Action: *Refused*

Name

*John Smith*

and

*2*

children.

Residence:

*Massville Tenn*

Reasons:

*The house is removed to the same place*  
*the same place*

No...

Name \_\_\_\_\_

With No.

Remarks:

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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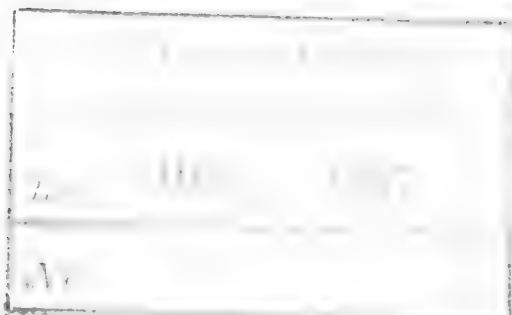
APPLICATION

OF

Jas. Smith

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County, Tenn.

Mother: Franklin County, Tenn.

**13.** Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hearts County, Tenn

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: died 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where.

and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Henry Smith	1870	Still Living
	Bud Leonard		
(2)	Worth Smith	1872	
	Warrington		
(3)	DD Smith	1873	
	Raham. Gap-Ga.		
(4)	Gunnell	1877	
	Garfield		
(5)	Raham. Gap-Ga.	1880	
	Higge Smith		
(6)	Raham. Gap-Ga.	882	
	Shree	1884	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John. Leach. Name.

18. Where were they born? Miss. Leabk. Bond at Traskley,  
add.

10. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? San Diego County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Huddley Cabb. Dead Juice - Leabk Deed  
 (2) Fennel Cabb. " Jesse " " " " Deed  
 (3) Deharah " " " Palley Still Living  
 (4) Sulky " " " at Ripe Key  
 (5) Sukin " " " Ehisheuth Leabk. Deed  
 (6) Lamm " " " I cant gin away  
 after Grandfather's Sick



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great Grandfather was Jesse Lebb his mother was Fania Coker and she was a Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have by appointment appeared before  
at Jamestown Tennessee my City  
to Present this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

16th April, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known 20 for \_\_\_\_\_ years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. A. Humphreys

W. B. Griffee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16th April

1910.

Notary Public.

NOTE. —Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 8668

Action: *By deed*

Name *Tamie Smith* and *1* children. Residence: *Monroe, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*House removed for 200, claim for  
same same*

No. 101111

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Fannie Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



2799E

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Furvia Smith  
English name: Smith  
Indian name: Cabb  
2. Residence and post office: Mauroe  
3. County: Overtown  
4. State: Tenn.  
5. How old are you? 28 Born \_\_\_\_\_  
6. Where were you born? Overtown County Tenn  
7. Are you married? No  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: None  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Hasbelle Smith</u>	<u>8</u>	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Father  
None. Bill Smith River Smith  
Father—English name: Smith  
Indian name: None  
Mother—English name: Smith  
Indian name: Cabb  
Maiden name: Smith

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Furberess County Tenn  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Overton County Tenn

Mother: Finchess County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: died 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.		BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ala Smith</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>1875</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Emeline <del>Decker</del></u>	<u>30</u>	<u>1877</u>	<u>.....</u>
(3)	<u>Raselia</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1883</u>	<u>.....</u>
(4)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(5)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(6)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Idemot

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ferdia Smith  
Nee Cabh.

18. Where were they born? Finchess County Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>I Cecet</u>	<u>Gen Hines</u>
(2)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(3)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(4)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(5)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>
(6)	<u>.....</u>	<u>.....</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my gran mother

was Faina Cakhe who was a daughter  
of Jesse Cakhe and he was a Son of  
Faina Cakhe

REMARKS.

(Under this heading the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am by applicant J. W. Eames  
to present this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Faina Smith,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

J. W. Eames

Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Boother  
and R. B. McDonald, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Faina Smith  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Boother

R. B. McDonald

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910 J. W. Eames

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 295664

Action:

Accepted

Name *Stella C. Gordon* and *no* children. Residence: *Manassas, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Two causes the same as 18759. Same as  
the same cause.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Steelie C. Bowden*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Selley C Bowden  
English name: Bowden  
Indian name: Cah  
2. Residence and post office: Mansum I  
3. County: Fentress  
4. State: Tenn  
5. How old are you? 23 Born \_\_\_\_\_  
6. Where were you born? Fentress County  
7. Are you married? No  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: AB.  
Bowden was my father Clementis Smith  
my mother  
Father—English name: Bowden  
Indian name: Wawa  
Mother—English name: Smith  
Indian name: Cah  
Maiden name: Smith

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Fentress County Tenn  
Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

here did they reside in 1851, if living at that time:  
 Father: Frederick County Penn

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Bertie Loring

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: (all)

r6. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Larry Brewster	1877	1900

(2) Charley, c. 1883 100

(3) Nina 1890

(4) January 1892

(5) Albert 1893

(6)	Adler.	1899	121
	Rerman.	1902	---

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

\_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Fluorine Seawater  
New cable.

18. Where were they born? Frenchess Overcity Tenn

18. Where were they born? Cal.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Friend's Cemetery  
Hean.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(I) Asa Smith

(2) Sarah Smith

(3) June 1959

(4) Price \_\_\_\_\_

(5) 

✓(6).....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My grandmother

Fannie Smith was a daughter of  
John Cobb and he was a son of Fannie  
Cobb who was a Cherokee  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hear by official notice  
of Jamestown Prison my  
attorney is to prosecute this case

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Delia Stollie Gardner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Fannie C. Smith  
and Rosetta Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Delia Stollie Gardner  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Fannie Smith  
Rosetta Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910 J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36643

File



Halls Tinn  
Sept 10. 1907

App No 36643

For Union Miller

Dear Sir in reply to

your letter as to the age

of my child - Martha Miller

she was born January

10. 1906.

Respectfully

Wm. H. Miller

No. 8666

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Rosetta M. Lewis* and children. Residence: *West Fork, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*The license was removed at 1842 1/2 claims  
the same source.*

No. 00085

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rosetta M<sup>c</sup>Donald

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

6-624



3665

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Rosetta McDanel  
English name: Smith  
Indian name: Caleb  
2. Residence and post office: West Fork  
3. County: Overtown County  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 25 Born 1883  
6. Where were you born? Overtown County Tenn  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wags McDanel  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edgar</u>	<u>10 years</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Bill  
Smith was my Father Mo. Rice Smith  
she was a Smith before she married  
Father—English name: Smith  
Indian name: name  
Mother—English name: Smith  
Indian name: Caleb  
Maiden name: Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: Overtown County Tennessee  
Mother: Fristick County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ortman County Texas

Mother: Frederick County Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: Died 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Asa Smith</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u>Emeline Smith</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>" "</u>
(2)	<u>Fannie Smith</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Mam</u>	<u>Fannin Smith</u>
	<u>Nec. Cobb</u>

18. Where were they born? Frederick County Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Frederick County Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Asa Smith</u>	
(2)	<u>Sarah</u>	
(3)	<u>Emeline</u>	
(4)	<u>Deborah</u>	
(5)	<u>Fannie</u>	
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Narr

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My gran. Mather

Farrin Smith was a daughter of  
Jesse Coker who was a son of  
Farrin Coker who was a Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hear by applicant J. W. Coker  
of Jamestown Tenn. My atty  
to present this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rosetta McDonald,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Coker

Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. A. Booker

and Jahar C. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rosetta McDonald

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. A. Booker

Jahar C. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16 April

, 1910.

J. W. Coker  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 86666

Action: *Accepted*

Name *David Teate* and children. Residence: *Boatland Tenn.*

Reasons:

*mother of 1850. Same the same source.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*David Beaty*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— David Bealy  
English name: Bealy  
Indian name: Cahh  
2. Residence and post office: Boatland  
3. County: Franklin County  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 48 Born 1860  
6. Where were you born? Franklin County Tenn  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: 48 Mr Correll Bealy  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Harrah L. Bealy</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>Bealy</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Father  
John Bealy & Mrs. Mary Bealy Cahh

Father—English name: John  
Indian name: Cahh  
Mother—English name: Stephens  
Indian name: Cahh  
Maiden name: Cahh

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County Tennessee  
Mother: Franklin County Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Professor Casady Viers

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 1870

Mother: 11111 1873.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no in.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(I)	Purdy Beary	1846	

Keeper Gen.

(2) Lidly Neatwood  
Wales " "

(3) Jesse Gandy 11/80-4 Lung  
Harold Cook 11.

(4) Wong. Ling 1860  
Nassau. Tenn

(5)   

(6) 

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

### FATHER'S SIDE.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Judge Cobb.

18. Where were they born? Fiskeburg Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? .....

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Bulky Curb Red Rhinoceros Curb Deer

(2) *Fama* ... .. *Palley Still*

(3) Deborah, 11, Leticia, 10

(4) *fish* *Rife Key*

(5) Second i.e. "

(6) Jesse Lee, Dad

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my grandfather  
was Jesse Cobb. he was a son of  
Harold Cobb and she was a Cherokee  
Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hear my applicant J W Eames  
my ally to Presente This Claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

David Bealy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

J W Eames

Notary Public.

My commission expires

16<sup>th</sup> April, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Isa. Smith  
and Silas Wright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with David Bealy  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Silas Wright

Isa. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910.

J W Eames

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 8667

Action: *Accepted*

Name: *Frederic Cooker* and *5* children. Residence: *Enfield, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*First cousin of Samuel J. Cook, slain in  
the same cause.*



No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Emeline Booker.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Emeline Baaher  
English name: Smith or Baaher  
Indian name: Cahh  
2. Residence and post office: Grafford  
3. County: Overton County  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? 30 Born 1879  
6. Where were you born? Overton County Tenn  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: S A Baaher  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees 38  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>William Delbat</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>Darth &amp; May</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	<u>Murtle</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(4)	<u>Lester</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1902</u>
(5)	<u>Filard</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1905</u>
(6)	<u>Karey</u>	<u>4 months</u>	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Father  
Bill Smith Ma Rine Smith

Father—English name: Smith  
Indian name: Wann  
Mother—English name: Smith  
Indian name: Cahh  
Maiden name: Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: Overton County Tenn  
Mother: Fentress County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Overton County Tennessee

Mother: Frederick

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still Living

Mother: 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Asa Smith</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>Living</u>
	<u><del>Frederick</del></u>	<u><del>30</del></u>	<u><del>1884</del></u>
(2)	<u>Francis</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>1884</u>
	<u>Russell</u>	<u>20</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Marion

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Francis Smith

Mar. Cobb

18. Where were they born? Frederick County

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Asa Smith</u>	
(2)	<u>June Smith</u>	
(3)	<u>Sarah</u>	
(4)	<u>Deborah</u>	
(5)	<u>Clara</u>	
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My grandmother

Maunther Whiting Smith was a daughter  
of Jesse Cobb and Jesse Cobb was  
a son of Friend Cobb who was a Cherokee  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I fear my affidavit is wrong  
of Juncostown Tenn. my ally  
to present this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emeline Booker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

My commission expires  
16 April 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me R. B. McDonald  
and John C. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Emeline Booker  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. B. McDonald  
John C. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires  
16 April 1910. J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 3658

Action: *Resisted*

Name

*J. R. Moore*

and no children.

Residence:

*Grimsley - Tenn.*

Reasons:

*The cause was removed 1848-49. Cause  
the same cause.*



No. 10004

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

J. E. More.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— J. E. Beatty Moor  
English name: Beatty  
Indian name: Oahh
2. Residence and post office: Grainsby
3. County: Franklin Co
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 23 Born 1884
6. Where were you born? Franklin County
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Moor
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Jesse Beatty Shora Junior Richards
- Father—English name: Beatty  
Indian name: Oahh
- Mother—English name: Richards  
Indian name: namu  
Maiden name: Richards

12. Where were they born?

Father: Franklin County Tenn

Mother: Franklin County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Trishess County Tenn

Mother:                     

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Bath Levins

Mother:                     

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Shava L. Bedy</u> <u>Grainlys</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>                    </u>
(2)	<u>Nacey Jan.</u> <u>Grainlys</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>                    </u>
(3)	<u>Mary Ethel</u> <u>Grainlys</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>                    </u>
(4)	<u>John F.</u> <u>Grainlys</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>                    </u>
(5)	<u>David Bedy</u> <u>                    </u>	<u>13</u>	<u>                    </u>
(6)	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>	<u>                    </u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Bedy</u>	<u>John Recheras</u>
<u>John Bedy</u>	<u>                    </u>
<u>Sally Bedy</u>	<u>                    </u>
<u>Ken Cobb</u>	<u>                    </u>

18. Where were they born?                     

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?                     

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>I can not give all this</u>
(2)	<u>                    </u>
(3)	<u>                    </u>
(4)	<u>                    </u>
(5)	<u>                    </u>
(6)	<u>                    </u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great grand

Father was Jesse Cobb and  
he was a half Red Cherokee  
Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hear by affidavit J. W. Eames  
of Jarriston my Power of  
Atty to Present this Claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ellen Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Gar Stephen  
and Self Haad, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Ellen Moore  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Gar Stephen  
Self Haad

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

16 April, 1910. J. W. Eames  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 9 1909  
No. 36668

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No. 56569

Action:

Agitated

Name James, Ling and 2 children. Residence: Manson, Tenn.

Reasons:

First cousin once removed of 34257. James  
has same name



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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Famia King.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Harra King  
English name: King  
Indian name: Cabb
2. Residence and post office: Wandau
3. County: Fruitess Co
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 21 Born 1887
6. Where were you born? Fruitess County Tenn
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: 24 Elizabeth John King
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Etied King</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1903</u>
(2)	<u>Ester</u>	<u>9 months</u>	<u>1907</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wright  
Indian name: Warr  
Mother—English name: Beatty  
Indian name: Cabb  
Maiden name: Beatty

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fruitess County Tenn  
Mother: Wandau

- 13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Herbert Conely Jones

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Wah Lermy

**Mother :** \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Daniel Wright	26	1880
	Flenners	23	1885
(2)	Jesse	19	1887
	Fildy	16	1890
(3)	Beulah	13	1893
	Gracmill	10	1897
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

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MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jesse Cobb & Francis

Quaker retro views.

very Gate Guard

Fuller

18. Where were they born? at Mobile Ala.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Mary Ann, bel, last, leah, and

(2) Improved ... Pillsbury Still & Co.

(5) *Salmon* ... at Ripe Key

(4) Debarah. in Elisabetha Cabb. Dec.

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(6) ~~1111~~ 1111

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my gran mother was a Daughter of Jesse Cobb the son of half breed Cherokee Indian and a son of David Baker

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I her by appearance of witness my parent of ally to present this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fannie King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

J. W. Evans

Notary Public.

My commission expires

16 April 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Bowden &  
and Geo Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Fannie King  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo Smith

John Bowden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

16 April 1910.

J. W. Evans

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36670

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Polly Martin*

and ——— children.

Residence: *Vinita Okla*

Reasons: *Claimant, who is about eighty years of age, was held as a slave. See record for Page 4381.*



No. 36670

Name Polly Mailin

With No.

Remarks:

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see slip inside.



No. 36670 Missing

Name Percy Martin

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 30000

# EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF  
OF

*Polly Martin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern  
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved  
June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the  
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Polly Adams, Nee Landrum, Nee Martin

Indian name: Waarlee

2. Residence and post office: Vinita,

3. County:

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 78 Born July 4th 1829

6. Where were you born? in Georgia,

7. Are you married? Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband: died about 14 years ago

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Amanda Maser	53	1854
(2)	Perry Landrum	51	1857
(3)	Thomas Landrum	49	1859
(4)	Martha Manley	44	1863
(5)	Jesse Manley	42	1865
	John Landrum	35	1772
(6)	Mary Hackner	40	1867

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jack Martin

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Pattie Martin

Indian name: Quaattee

Maiden name: Pattie Martin

12. Where were they born?

Father: I suppose in Georgia

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: dont know

Mother: in the Gherokee Nation In the Indian Territory

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: dont know

Mother: about 1850

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were on the rolls of 1835-6

and perhaps the other old rolls of those days

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Simon Peter	dont know	dont know
	Hannah Martin	" "	" "
(2)	Rachel Martin	" "	" "
	Peggie Martin	" "	" "
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peter Alberty

Hannah Alberty

18. Where were they born? dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? dont know but I think they were in the Cherokee Nation in the Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Vicy Alberty

(2) Ruben Downing

(3) Mike Sanders

(4) Lucy Whitmire

(5) Amy Whitmire

(6) Lily Whitmire

All dead

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I am on the rolls of 1835-6 and 1848  
1851 Wallace roll, Kern and Clifton, Dawes Comm. Doubtful roll
- 22 To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

My Original name was Polly Martin and my name will be found on  
the roll of 1835-a to that effect.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to mark*

*J. A. Davis*

(Signature *Polly Martin*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

*Jacob J. James*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 17th 1910

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Juno Martin  
and Liny Thompson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Polly Martin  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 70 years and  
60 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

*H. B. Watson*  
*J. A. Davis*

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Juno Martin*  
*Liny Thompson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 17th 1910

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*Jacob J. James*  
Notary Public.

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Appl. #35670

May 7, 1908.

Rollie Martin,  
Vinita, Okla.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, state where the parent through whom you claim resided in 1844-45, if living at that time.

Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1844-45?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

If you were enrolled by the Dawes Commission, state your number, and indicate on what roll your name was placed.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 9-22-08

Application No. 36670


*Polly Martin  
Vinita, Okla.*

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that *W. W. Retton* one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at *Vinita, Okla* on *Wednesday, Oct. 4*, 1908, at *9* o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry *at the Court House.*

 If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

 Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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November 1, 1940.

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On the 24th day of August, 1944, I, the undersigned,  
being duly sworn, depose and say that the within copy of the  
report of the Committee on the Administration of the Government  
of the District of Columbia, for the year 1943, is a true and  
correct copy of the report as the same appears in the  
public files of the District of Columbia, and that the  
same is a true and correct copy of the report as the same  
appears in the public files of the District of Columbia.

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At 11. 38673.

December 1, 1911.

My dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Yours truly,  
J. H. [Name]  
[Title]  
[Address]

Very respectfully,  
J. H. [Name]

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# 36670

Lucien B. Bell, in behalf of Polly Martin, being first  
duly sworn, deposes and says:-----

My name is Lucien B. Bell: I am 70 years old.  
I know Polly Martin. She is about something Over 80 years old. She  
is a freedwoman. She looks like a full negro. I dont think that  
she was allotted. She applied before the Daws Commission but her  
claim was rejected. I have known her many years and when I first  
knew her she belonged to my grandmother, Lucy Martin. She was  
a slave up to the time of the war when she was freed. Her husband  
was also a slave. He was a slave at the same time as Polly. He  
was a slave of my aunt.

*Reject Slave*

*Lucien B. Bell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1909,  
at Vinita, Okla.

*Frank S. Ryan*

Assistant to the Special Commissioner of the U. S.  
Court of Claims.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Folly Martin*  
*Vinola*  
*Stella*  
Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *3667*, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER  
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

Washington, D. C., <sup>9/6</sup> 1907

Receipt of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees is hereby acknowledged. It has been filed as application No. 36670, and will be considered in its order.

All further communications relative to this claim should refer to the application number given above, and be addressed to the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

GUION MILLER,  
*Special Commissioner.*

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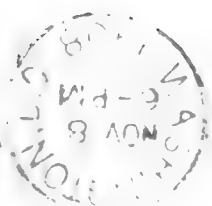
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No. 36671

Action: Reject

Name Ethel McMan and

children.

Residence:

Whisper Creek

Reason:

It does not appear that  
applicant was parties to treaties  
of 1835-36-40. nor were they members  
of the tribe of Cheyenne.

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#36671.

No. 366 71

Name Ethel Lu Hairy

With No.

Remarks:

Not an roll.

No. 1199E

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Ethel M. Hain*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Wm. J. Eggard*  
*Chelsea*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ethel McNairn (Cherokee)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Chelsea, Indian Territory.

3. County: Cherokee Nation.

4. State: Indian Territory.

5. How old are you? 41 Born March 15, 1866.

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County, Georgia.

7. Are you married? Single.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: none.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Larkin H. McNairn. (White)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Ann Elizabeth McNairn (Cherokee)

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Ann Elizabeth Cobb.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Habersham Co., Ga.

Mother: Cherokee Co., Alabama.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Georgia.

Mother: In Cherokee Co. Georgia.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 30th 1894, Adair, I.T.

Mother: November 7, 1904, in Adair, I.T.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother was a Cherokee, 1/8 blood, moved from Ga. to I.T., about 1893.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Samuel C. McNairn,</u>	<u>April 18, 1876.,</u>	<u>living, Adair, I.T.</u>

All my other brothers and sisters died before May 1906.

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

They were white.

David Cobb, (White)

Maria Cobb, nee Goddard, 1/4,  
Cherokee Indian.

18. Where were they born? Old Cherokee Nation, North Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both were dead.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) They are all dead.

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My father was white; and mother lived in Ga. nearly all her life; but she drew none of the Cherokee payments in the Indian Territory. I drew none of the payments.  
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother's brother, William Goddard, was quarter-blood Cherokee, duly enrolled, died at Tahlequah, I.T.

My brother, Samuel C. McNairn, will file his application later.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature E. W. F. [illegible])

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June 1907.

E. W. F. [illegible]

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 1, 1908., 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Scudder  
and John T. Ezzard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Ethel McNairn

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 months  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Scudder

John T. Ezzard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 20

1908.

E. W. F. [illegible]

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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JOHN T. EZZARD  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
CHELSEA, - IND. TER.

CHLSEA, IND. TER., JULY 1907.

My dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities.

Very respectfully,

Yours truly,  
John T. Ezzard  
Attorney-at-Law  
Chelsea, Ind. Ter.  
The enclosed is a copy of the report of the committee on the subject of the proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Indiana, as passed by the General Assembly at its session in 1906. The report is herewith submitted to you for your consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
John T. Ezzard  
Attorney-at-Law  
Chelsea, Ind. Ter.

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Ethel McNairn, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Ethel McNair. My age is 41 years. I live at Coffeyville, Kansas. I was born in Cherokee Co., Ga. I left Georgia in 1893. I have been living in the Territory since that time. I was not enrolled by the Dawes Commission. Did not make application. I never got the strip money. I have always been taught that I had Cherokee blood. I get it from both parents, but mostly from mother, Betty Cobb. My mother was born in Cherokee Co., Alabama. My mother came out here. Her parents were born in Georgia. My mother was not enrolled in 1851. The reason was that she never had any one to see to it for her. My mother was 70 at her death and has been dead 4 years. I don't know whether she was on the 1835 Roll. My mother had an uncle who was brought here among the first Indians. My mother's mother was Maria Goddard. She always lived in Georgia until she married. She never came West. I don't suppose she was enrolled in 1851. I think it was because her brother was brought here with the Indians and she was kept with the white side of the family. My father was Larkin McNair, and he came West in 1893. He was never enrolled nor try to be. My grandfather's name was Alfred McNair; my grandmother was a Horton but I do not know what her given name was. They lived in Georgia in Habersham Co. My mother had a brother William Cobb, Nehemiah Cobb and a sister Mary. William Goddard was the only uncle my mother had on that side and he was brought out here when about 16. A lawyer said that he had died out here and had never married, and my father would not come out and live on the land. This is as far back as I can go. My father's brothers and sisters were: Jane, Brasswell, Hewitt, Lizzie, Spencer, Will and Joe, twins; Eliza and Rosie. ~~My father had an Uncle John McNair. Only that one uncle was recorded as a settler.~~ The hills here are related to me and the come in on my uncle's side and got his property. They have never associated with any other tribe.

Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Chelsea, Cal. Nov., this 10th day of September, 1904.

*A. S. Monroe*  
Agent to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.

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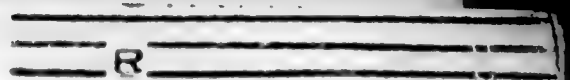
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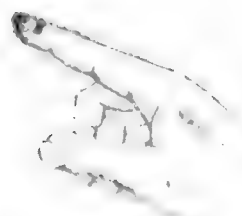
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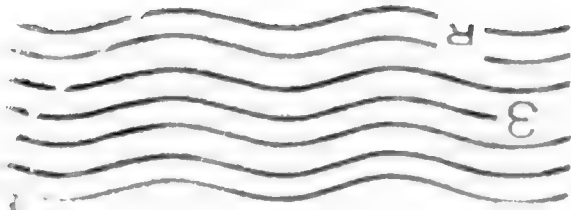


Ethel McHainn,

Chelsea, Okla.







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No. 36672.

Action:

Reject.

804 Blake St.  
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Name Desdemona Lucas, and — children.

Residence:

#36672

Reasons:

Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 and 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ~~were~~ <sup>ever</sup> lived with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe. Applicant is recognized as a negro. See letter filed herein marked "E. 5"

(copy by K. A. Black)

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No. 36672

Name *Oesdemona lucas*

With No.

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Wendersona Lucas*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the Decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. H. Mathhouse*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wesdemoria Lucas

Indian name: Unknown

2. Residence and post office: 804 Blake St., Indianapolis

3. County: Marion

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 21 Born Dec. 2, 1885

6. Where were you born? Indianapolis, Ind.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)	<u>None</u>		
(3)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Henry Moore Lucas

Indian name: Unknown

Mother—English name: Mary Ella Lucas

Indian name: Unknown

Maiden name: Mary Ella Hart

12. Where were they born?

Father: Chillicothe, Ohio

Mother: Indianapolis, Ind.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 30, 1907.

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<u>None</u>		
(3)			
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>Cornelius Burt</u>
	<u>Unknown</u>
	<u>Elizabeth Burt</u>
	<u>Unknown</u>

18. Where were they born? Halifax Co., North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Indianapolis Ind.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Harry Allen Lucas</u>
(2)	<u>Indianapolis Ind.</u>
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

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Roden Burt, Sarah  
Locklear Burt, Cornelius Burt, Elizabeth  
Burt, Perry, Mason Lucas, Mary Ella Lucas  
his includes his great grandparents as his grandparents were  
born at that time. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I trace my descent as an Eastern Cherokee  
Indian from Cornelius Burt who was a  
half-breed Eastern Cherokee.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Desdemona Lucas*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21st* day of *Aug.* 1907.

*Bert Deep.*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*George H. Gains*

and

*Claudia Walker*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Desdemona Lucas*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *21* years and

*20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*George H. Gains*

*Claudia Walker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21st* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

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*Bert Deep.*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* JUN 8 1908  
*No.*

2.1.672 AB.

Indianapolis, Ind.,

June 5, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In regard to the application I wish to say that neither myself, parents or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. We are recognized as negroes.

The parent through which

I claim my descent was not  
enrolled in 1851 because she  
was not born at that time.

So far as I know my  
grandparents were residing  
in North Carolina in 1834-35.

Neither my parents or  
grandparents were ever  
slaves.

Yours truly  
Hestermonia Lucas,  
804 Bladde St.

No. 36673.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Mary Ella Lucas*, and — children.

Residence:

*804 Blake Street,  
Indianapolis, Indiana.*

Reasons:

*Mother of #36672, and claims through the  
same ancestors.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Ella Lucas.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. H. Malone*

36673



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Ella Fort Lucas.

Indian name: Unknoo

2. Residence and post office: 817 State St., Indianapolis

3. County: Marion

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 43 Born Nov. 1864

6. Where were you born? Indianapolis, Ind.

7. Are you married? Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Resolomon Lucas</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Dec. 6, 1915</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Amelius Fort

Indian name: Unknoo

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Fort

Indian name: Unknoo

Maiden name: Elizabeth Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Swain Co. North Carolina

Mother: Hall Co. North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 12 July 1876

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<u>None</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<u>John Bart</u>	
<u>Indian name</u>	
<u>John Schen Bart</u>	
<u>Indian name</u>	

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	
(2)	<u>None</u>
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

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22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

Roden Burt, Sarah Locklear Burt, Bernice Burt, Elizabeth Burt.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I trace my descent as an Eastern Cherokee Indian from Roden Burt who was a full blooded Eastern Cherokee Indian.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary Ella Lucas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Aug 1907.

Bert Hoelp

My commission expires

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NOTARY PUBLIC.  
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.  
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me George H. Goins  
and Claudia Walker who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary Ella Lucas  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George H. Goins

Claudia Walker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_.

Bert Hoelp

NOTARY PUBLIC.  
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.  
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, or Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary public, etc.

Received of Mr. J. H. [unclear]

the sum of \$100.00

for [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

at [unclear]

*804-1-1*  
*Indianapolis*  
*Ind*

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAR 7 1908
No. 7. 1/2 7.

*MAE*

No. 36674.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nancy E. Ogletree* and *5* children. Residence: *Harrington, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 32901*



No. 366 74 - 80

Name

With No. 32901

Remarks:

Numerous *Aglyptus*  
Rufous " "  
Tawny " "  
Vas " "  
Purplish *Aglyptus*  
" *Aglyptus*  
" *Aglyptus*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*James Eugene Agletta*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Nancy Elizabeth Ogletree

Indian name: Hannon

2. Residence and post office: Livingston R. R. 1.

3. County: Overton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 56

Born

Feb 8, 1851

6. Where were you born? In Overton Co. Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: D. C. Chester Ogletree

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? I don't know, if any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: Five if my

children are minors under the age of 21 years.

NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1) <u>William F. Ogletree</u>	<u>34 yrs</u>	<u>Dec 25, 1873</u>
(2) <u>Reese O.</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>Aug 7, 1875</u>
(3) <u>Maggie O.</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Aug 18, 1885 - minor</u>
(4) <u>Parthenia V. McCormack</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>July 16, 1878</u>
(5) <u>Cynthia O.</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Sept 7, 1879 - minor</u>
(6) <u>Angie R.</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Sept 1, 1880</u>
(7) <u>Benjamin B.</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Jan 7, 1892 - minor</u>
(8) <u>Annie</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Oct 26, 1884</u>
(9) <u>Edna</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>July 1, 1886 - minor</u>
(10) <u>Garrett A. H.</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1886 - minor</u>

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Benjamin Bilyeu

Indian name: Hannon

Mother—English name: Nancy Bilyeu

Indian name: none that I know of

Maiden name: Nancy Peterman

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Overton Co. Tenn.

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Anson Co, Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 11, 1884.

Mother: Sept 30, 1900.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 220

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Oliver Bilyeu dead	Aug 22, 1840	Aug. 3, 1855
	you. " Hillman Tenn R.R.	Oct 18, 1841.	
(2)	Andrew " " "	Feb 10, 1843	
	Prithia " dead	Mar. 8, 1846.	July 16, 1903, I think.
(3)	George W " " "	Nov 26, 1848	Aug 6, 1855.
	Jacob " " "	Sept 16, 1852	Aug. 16, "
	Sherida " Russellville Ky.	May 8, 1855	
(4)	Mekela " Holman " "	Nov. 19, 1855	
	Rose A " Hillford " "	Apr. 8, 1860	
(5)	James P. " Hillman Tenn R.R.	Mar. 2, 1863	
	Abraham Bilyeu	May 7, 1867.	
(6)	Crookville Tenn.		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Eng. Oliver Bilyeu	Eng. Periman
Ind. Harmon	Ind. none
Eng. — Bilyeu	
Ind. Harmon	

18. Where were they born? I am not sure I think Oliver Bilyeu in Anson Co, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Anson Co, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Lydia (Bilyeu) Strain, at last accounts in Illinois
(2)	Willie Lyons (died in Logan Co, Ky, about 1880)
(3)	Benjamin Bilyeu Dec. 11, 1854.
(4)	Anna Stanton In Illinois at last accounts & dead.
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Benjamin Harmon, Bilyen's wife, parents;  
Oliver Bilyen & wife grand parents; Charles Harmon, the Grey  
Horse, Magee great grand parents.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through Charles Harmon, a Cherokee Indian of the  
half blood, who was my great grand father. See app'ts. in  
A.S. Bilyen's, now Bilyen's, et al., applications on this point.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nancy Elizabeth Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Alfred

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nancy Elizabeth Ogletree

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and

40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Alfred

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

James Surge  
Exhibit to  
Mary E. Agle's  
application

Affidavit

# 3667H.



State of Tennessee Personally appeared before  
Overton County, I me, W.D. Fiske, a Notary  
Public in and for said County & State, James  
Savage, who makes oath as follows, viz:-  
I am 79 years of age, and now live, and  
have lived, all of my life in Overton Co., Tenu-  
see, on the farm where I was born,  
and within two miles of where  
Charles Harmon once lived for a  
short time; I knew Oliver Riden  
and Charles Harmon, and knew Oliver's  
wife, who was said to be Charles Harmon's  
daughter & the mother of Benjamin  
(Harmon Riden <sup>who was</sup> the father of Wm.  
Riden, Andrew J. Riden, Nancy E.  
Agletree and several others, all of whom  
are well known to me. I am not related  
to nor connected with any of these parties,  
nor in any way interested in the outcome  
of their applications for Cherokee Funds.  
James Savage

Seen to and subscribed before me, this August  
19, 1907.

W.D. Fiske, Notary Public.

My Commission expires Oct 25, 1908.

No. 36675.

Action:

Reject

Name

Reese Ogletree

and X children.

Residence:

Birmingham, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 32961.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Reese Ogletree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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2675

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Reese Ogletree

Indian name: Hannon

2. Residence and post office: Livingston, R.R. 1.

3. County: Croston

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 32 Born Aug. 7, 1875.

6. Where were you born? In Croston Co. Tenn.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: D.C. Ogletree

Indian name: name that I know of

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Ogletree

Indian name: Hannon

Maiden name: Nancey E. Riley

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Croston Co. Tenn.

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	M. F. Ogletree Livingston Tenn. R.R. 1	Dec. 25, 1873.	
	Parthenia McCann, " " "	July 19, 1878.	
(2)	Ingie R. Ogletree, " " R.R.	Sept 1, 1880.	
	James O. " " " " "	June 16, 1882.	
	Annie A. " " " " "	Oct 26, 1884.	
(3)	Mary E. " " " " "	" 7, 1886.	
	Maggie P. " " " " "	Aug. 17, 1888.	
(4)	Cynthia A. " " " " "	Sept 7, 1890.	
	Benj. B. " " " " "	Jan. 7, 1892.	
(5)	Garrett A. H. " " " " "	Oct 10, 1896.	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Eng. Ogletree	(Eng) Benj. Bilyeu & wife Nancy
(Ind) Boone	(Ind) " Hanson

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co., Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co., Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Oliver Bilyeu dead	
	Tom. " William, Tenn. R.R.	
(2)	G. E. " " "	
	Parthenia " dead - married Peter Head but divorced, & had Oliver Head, now in	
	Geo. W. " " Logan Co., Ky.	
(5)	Jacob " " "	
	Nancy E. Ogletree, Livingston Tenn, R.R. 1.	
	Sherida A. Bilyeu, Cassville, Ky.	
	Marcia A. " " "	
	Rosa A. " " "	
	" " " "	
	" " " "	
	" " " "	



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: D.C. Nancy E. (Harmon) Ogletree, parents;  
Benj (Harmon) Pilger & Nancy Pilger, grandparents. Oliver Pilger & I (Harmon) Pilger,  
great-grand parents; Charles Harmon Magee, great great grand father.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I rely upon my great grandmother Pilger, who was Charles  
Harmon's daughter, for my Cherokee Blood.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Reese Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W.H. Allred

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W.H. Allred  
and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Reese Ogletree  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W.H. Allred

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36676

Action:

Reject

Name Willard A. Ogletree and X children.

Residence:

Livingston, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 32901.

No. 2000

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Millard Filmore Ogletree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36510

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Willard Filmore Ogletree

Indian name: Harrison

2. Residence and post office: Livingston R.R. 1

3. County: Overton

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 34 Born Dec 25, 1873

6. Where were you born? In Logan Co., Ky.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: D.C. Ogletree

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Ogletree

Indian name: Harrison

Maiden name: Bilque or Harrison

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Overton Co, Tenn.

Mother: In " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Reese Ogletree Livingston, Tenn, R.R.	Aug. 7, 1875.	
	Parthenia J. McBrink " "	July 19, 1878.	
	Reese Ogletree, " "	R.R. Sept 1, 1880.	
(2)	James S. " " "	June 1, 1882.	
Annie	Alamoy " " "	Oct 26, 1884.	
(3)	Mary Edna " " "	7, 1886.	
	Garrett A. H. " " "	10, 1896.	
(4)	Maggie P. " " "	Aug. 17, 1888.	
	Cynthia A. " " "	Sept 7, 1890.	
(5)	Benj B. " " "	Jan. 7, 1892.	
	Garrett A. H. " " "	Oct 10, 1896.	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
(Eng)	Reese Ogletree & Angie	Eng; Benjamin Bilyeu & Nancy Bilyeu
(Ind)	Irone, I reckon	Ind Benjamin Harmon

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co, Tenn. I think

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Oliver Bilyeu (dead)
- (2) Tom. " Hillman Tenn R.R.
- (3) S. " " "
- (4) Parthenia " dead - Married Peter Headd, that Oliver Headd, now in Logan Co, Ky. She was divorced from Headd
- (5) George " "
- (6) Jacob " "
- (7) Nancy S. Ogletree, Livingston, Tenn, R.R.
- (8) Sherod A. Bilyeu, Russellville, Ky.
- (9) Mahan " Holman, "
- (10) Rosa A. " Hillman, "
- (11) J. Bilyeu, Hillman, Tenn, R.R.
- (12) A. A. " Russellville, "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: A. C. Ogletree & Nancy E. (Harrison) Ogletree,  
parents; Benjamin (Harrison) Bilyen & Nancy Bilyen, grand parents; Eliza Bilyen —  
(Harrison) Bilyen, great grand parents; Charles Harrison great great grand  
parents.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I rely upon my descent from Charles Harrison, through my  
grand father, Benj. Bilyen, whose mother was Charles  
'Harrison' — The Gray Horse — daughter.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Millard L. Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Allred

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Millard Filmore Ogletree  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allred

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

W. D. Fiske

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36672

Action: *Reject*

Name *James G. Oglethorpe* and *X* children. Residence: *Livingston, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as # 32961.*



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*James Garfield Ogletree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36677

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Garfield Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

2. Residence and post office: Livingston, W. Va.

3. County: Carter

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 25

Born June 6, 1882

6. Where were you born? In Carter Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: J. G. Ogletree

Indian name: John, L. Jackson

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

Maiden name: Bilyeu or Harmon

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Carter Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>M. F. Ogletree</u>	<u>Livingston, Tenn. R.R. 1</u>	<u>Dec. 25, 1872</u>
	<u>Reese</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Aug 7, 1875</u>
(2)	<u>Parthenia T. McConnell</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>July 19, 1878</u>
	<u>Angie R. Ogletree</u>	<u>" " " R.R. 1</u>	<u>Sept 1, 1880</u>
	<u>Annie A. V. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Oct 28, 1884</u>
(3)	<u>Mary E. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>" 7, 1886</u>
	<u>Maggie P. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Aug 17, 1888</u>
(4)	<u>Cynthia A. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Sept 7, 1890</u>
	<u>Berij B. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Jan. 7, 1892</u>
(5)	<u>Gerard H. H. "</u>	<u>" " " "</u>	<u>Oct 10, 1896</u>
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Car. C. Ogletree & Ang. Ogletree Eng. Berij & Nancy, Cilyen  
none, Ind. Temp. Harmon

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co., Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co., Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Living Cilyen dead  
Living Hillman, Tenn. R.R. 1  
(2) " " " "  
(3) Parthenia " dead but married James Head, & had 2 sons  
(4) Reese " " " Head, now of Logan Co. Va.  
(5) Mary E. " Ogletree, Livingston, Tenn. R.R. 1  
(6) Sherod A. " Marshall, Va.  
Melania U. H. Holman, " "  
Mary " Hillman, " "  
James P. " Hillman, Tenn. R.R. 1  
Ulla A. " Cooper, Tenn.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of <sup>Grand</sup> their parents and grandparents back to 1835; <sup>DC & N.E. Ogletree, parent</sup> Benj. (Harmon) Bilgen & Mary Bilgen, parents;  
Amos Bilgen - (Harmon) Bilgen great grand parents; Charles  
Harmon, great great grand parent

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Benj. (Harmon) Bilgen was my grand father, & Charles  
Harmon (Green Horse), a Cherokee Indian, was his  
grandfather, being his mother's father.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James G. Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W. H. Allred

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Allred

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Garfield Ogletree

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allred

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

W. H. Allred

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36678-

Action:

Reject

Name

Perthenia V. McDonald and 2 children.

Residence:

Livingston, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 32961.



No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Parthenia Virginia McCamee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



3699E



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Parthenia Virginia McCormack*

Indian name:

*Harrison*

2. Residence and post office:

*Livingston*

3. County:

*Carter Co.*

4. State:

*Tenn.*

5. How old are you?

*29*

Born

*July 19, 1878*

6. Where were you born?

*In Carter Co., Tenn.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Dawson H. McCormack, age 27*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None known to me.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Hannie W. McCormack</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>July 14, 1902</i>
(2)	<i>Virgie L. "</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Sept 13, 1905</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*D. C. Ogletree*

Indian name:

*None known to me*

Mother—English name:

*Nancy E. Ogletree*

Indian name:

*Harrison*

Maiden name:

*Bilgen or Harrison*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*In Carter Co., Tenn.*

Mother:

*" " " "*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Overton Co, Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Wm. F. Agle, living in Tenn. R.R.	Dec. 25, 1873.	
	Reese " " " " "	Aug. 7, 1875.	
	Agie R. " " " " "	Sept. 1, 1880.	
(2)	James G. " " " " "	June 16, 1887.	
	Annie A. " " " " "	Oct. 26, 1884.	
(3)	Mary E. " " " " "	" 7, 1886.	
	Maggie P. " " " " "	" "	
(4)	Cynthia A. " " " " "	Sept. 7, 1890.	
	Benj. B. " " " " "	Jan. 7, 1892.	
(5)	Garetta H. " " " " "	Oct. 10, 1896.	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Eng: Agle, Reece	Eng: Benjamin Siler, Nancy Siler
Ind: " "	Ind: " "

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co, Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Wm. F. Agle, living in Tenn. R.R.
(2)	Reese " " " " "
(3)	Agie R. " " " " "
(4)	James G. " " " " "
(5)	Annie A. " " " " "
(6)	Mary E. " " " " "
(7)	Maggie P. " " " " "
(8)	Cynthia A. " " " " "
(9)	Benj. B. " " " " "
(10)	Garetta H. " " " " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Dr. Mary E. (Harrison, Ogletree) parent;  
Benj. Harrison Bilyeu & wife, grand parents; Oliver Bilyeu & Harrison Bilyeu,  
great grand parents; Charles Harrison "Mapee" the Grey Horse, great great grand-  
parent.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim from Charles Harrison (The Grey Horse) he being the  
father of Oliver Bilyeu's wife, she being my great grandmother

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Parthenia V. McCornack

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of August 1907.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Allied

and

James Savage

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Parthenia Virginia McCornack

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allied

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5

1908.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36679.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Anna C. Ogletree* and *X* children. Residence: *Livingston, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claims through the same source as #32901.*

No. 26079

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Amie Alamy Caltee*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

26079



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Amie Alamay Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

2. Residence and post office: Livington R.R. 1

3. County: Crocker

4. State: Minnesota

5. How old are you? 22 Born Oct 26, 1884

6. Where were you born? In Crocker Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: D.C. Ogletree

Indian name: none, Dickson

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

Maiden name: Edgar or Harmon

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Crocker Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Cuernavaca Co. Tex.

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	M. F. Gleason Livingston, Tenn.	R.R. 1.	Dec 25, 1843.
	Reese " " " "	" "	Aug. 7, 1885.
	Parthenia McClunck " "	" "	July 19, 1878.
(2)	Angie R. " " " "	R.R. 1.	Sept 1, 1880.
	James G. " " " "	" "	June 16, 1882.
(3)	Mary E. " " " "	" "	Oct 7, 1886.
	Maggie P. " " " "	" "	Nov 17, 1888.
(4)	Cynthia A. " " " "	" "	Sept 7, 1890.
	Benj. B. " " " "	" "	Jan. 7, 1892.
(5)	Garrett A. H. " " " "	" "	Oct 10, 1896.
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.	
Em.	R. & Regie G. G. G.	Em.	Benjamin B. B.
Ed.	Ed.	Ed.	Ed.

18. Where were they born? in Racine Co. Wis.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? La Cuesta Co. Tex.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Oliver Blyden (dead)  
 from " Hillman town, R.R. 1.  
 (2) " " " " " "  
 (3) " " (dead) but married Edmond Pittsford, & Ed Oliver  
 Geo. W. " " " " " "  
 (4) Jacob " " " " " "  
 (5) Nancy E. " " " " " "  
 (6) " " " " " "  
 " " " " " "  
 " " " " " "  
 " " " " " "  
 " " " " " "  
 " " " " " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mr. & Mary E. (Hamon) Ogletree, parents; Benj. (Hamon) Bilyeu & wife, grandparents; Oliver Bilyeu & — (Hamon) Bilyeu, great grandparents; Charles Hamon great, great grand parent

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Charles Hamon was my grand father's grand father, his daughter being Oliver Bilyeu's wife, & mother of Benjamin Bilyeu (Hamon)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Annie Almay Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Allred

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Annie Almay Ogletree

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allred

James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

W. H. Fiske

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36680.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Ingie R. Ogletree* and *X* children. Residence: *Livington, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*claims through the same source as # 32901.*

No. 300060

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Angie Rosa Ogletree*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



35978

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ingie Rosa Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

2. Residence and post office: Livingston R.R. 1.

3. County: Overton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 26 Born Sept 1, 1880

6. Where were you born? In Overton Co., Tenn.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: X

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? X

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>X</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: D.C. Ogletree

Indian name: nohe, I reckon

Mother—English name: Nancy E. Ogletree

Indian name: Harmon

Maiden name: Blyden or Harmon

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Overton Co., Tenn.

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	M. J. Ogletree Livingston Tenn, R.R. 1	Dec 25, 1875	
	Reed " " " "	Aug 7, 1875	
	Parthenia V. Conwick, " " "	July 19, 1878	
(2)	James G. Ogletree, " " " R.R. 1	June 16, 1882	
	Annie A. " " " " "	Oct 26, 1884	
	Mary E. " " " " "	" 7, 1886	
(3)	Maggie P. " " " " "	Aug 7, 1888	
	Cynthia A. " " " " "	Sept 7, 1890	
(4)	Benj B. " " " " "	Jan 7, 1892	
	Garrett A. H. " " " " "	Oct 10, 1896	
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
(Eng)	Ogletree	(Eng) Benjamin + Nancy Bilyon
(Ind)	none	(Ind) " Harmon

18. Where were they born? In Overton Co., Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Overton Co., Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Oliver Bilyon, (dead)  
Tenn. Hillman, Tenn. R.R. 1.
- (2) A. J. " " " "
- (3) Parthenia (dead) married + divorced Peter Head + had Oliver Head of Overton Co., Ky.  
Geo. W. " " "
- (4) Jacob " " " "
- (5) Mary E. " Ogletree Livingston Tenn, R.R. 1
- (6) Sherida A. " Russellville, Ky.
- Maharail. " Holman, " "
- Rosa A. " " " "
- John P. Bilyon " " " "
- Maranda " " " "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Dr. & Nancy E. Ogletree, parents; Benjamin (Harmon) Bilger & Nancy Bilger, grandparents; Oliver Bilger - (Harmon) Bilger, great-grandparents; Charles Harmon, great-great-grandparent.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Charles Harmon (Grey Horse) was Benjamin Bilger's grand father - Benjamin Bilger was my grandfather. See affidavit of Gold & John D. White, filed with D.P. & Wm. Bilger applications

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Amos B. Ogletree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

W. R. Fiske  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. H. Allred

and James Savage, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ingie Rosa Ogletree

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Allred  
James Savage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 5, 1908. W. R. Fiske  
Notary Public.

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No. 2111

Action: admitted

Name: John J. Smith and 1 children. Residence: Wankam, B.C.

Reasons: Head of a family, no other means of support.

51654

No. 36681  
Name Seth Archer  
With No. 2050

Remarks:

Montrose Colorado

1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,

Treasury Warrant No. 131286

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary

for beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 21000 - 21000  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

W. L. Miller

No. 329

Montrose Colorado

1910.

Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 13,125,16

each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3620-2627  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

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Received of GUNION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 13115-6

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each for the sum of \$133.19 in full settlement of amount due the beneficiary  
or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3526 -  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

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Jas. J. Hart 1331  
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Received of GUION MILLER, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
Treasury Warrant No. 13115-6  
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or beneficiaries enrolled opposite Roll Number 3526-  
on the final Roll of the Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising  
from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, as approved by said  
Court March 15, 1910.

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To: 1st Natl Bank  
Montrose, Colo.

*Handwritten: # 4241*  
No. 310041

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES**

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APPLICATION OF  
OF

**Seth B. Archer**

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name

English name: Seth B. Archer

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Montrose,

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: Colorado

5. How old are you? 26 years Born Aug. 10, 1881

6. Where were you born? Baxter Springs, Kansas

7. Are you married? Have been, wife is dead

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~: Edith L. L. L.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She was white.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Thelma Archer</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>Jan. 10, 1905</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father--English name: William Perry Archer

Indian name: (Cherokee)

Mother -English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Born after 1851, Nov. 21, 1857

Mother: .....

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Montrose, Colorado

Mother: .....

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Father not on any of the rolls of the the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	<u>Don C. Archer</u>	<u>Aug. 9, 1890</u>	
(2)	<u>Leslie Archer</u>	<u>Jan. 14, 1894</u>	
(3)	<u>Juanita Archer</u>	<u>Oct. 15, 1896</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Newton Archer

They were whites

Lucinda Archer (Now Willard)

He was white.

18. Where were they born? Grand-mother in Missouri.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Grand-mother in what is now Cherokee County, Kans.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>William Perry Archer (Father)</u>	<u>Living, Montrose, Colo.</u>
(2)	<u>James Sigel Archer</u>	
(3)	<u>John Rankin Archer</u>	<u>Living, Adair, I. T.</u>
(4)	<u>Mary E. Propp</u>	<u>Living, Adair, I. T.</u>
(5)	<u>Leon L. Willard (1/2 bro)</u>	<u>Living, Baxter Springs, Kans.</u>
(6)	<u>Albert B. Willard</u>	<u>Living, Baxter Springs, Kans.</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. **My Paternal Great Grand-father was David M. Harlin (Or Harlan) he was living in the Cherokee Nation, Tenn. in 1835, in Cherokee county, Kans. in 1851, died about 1868.**

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)  
**My Paternal Grand-mother is Lucinda Willard at this time and is living at Baxter Springs, Kans. Great Grand-father David M. Harlan had sisters, Eliza Craig nee Harlan and Susan Jane Perry nee Harlan.**

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief

(Signature *Seth B. Archer*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of **August** 1907.

My commission expires

*J. M. [Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *William Williams*  
and *E. J. [Signature]* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with **Seth B. Archer**

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known **him** for 10 years and 10 years, respectively, and know **him** to be the identical person **he** represents

**himself** to be, and that the statements made by **him** are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in **his** claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*William Williams*  
*E. J. [Signature]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of **August** 1907.

My commission expires

*[Signature]*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. SEP 19 1907  
No. 36681

Card sent  
9/20/07



## THE DENVER AND RIO GRANDE RAILROAD CO.

May 10 1903

Howe Bros. & Co.

General Com.

Passenger L. R.

Dear Sir: We have the pleasure

to inform you that we have

received your letter of the 4th

inst. and in reply to inform you

that we have no objection to the

use of the same for the purpose

mentioned in your letter.

Very respectfully,  
 J. H. ...

John H. ...

Very truly yours,

J. H. ...

COMPTON OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
FEB 13 1908  
No. 36681

*circ. let.*

FEB 1 1908

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For Union Miller  
Washington D.C.

What disposition has  
been made of my application  
for name of Eastern Phosphate  
Mines. Application no  
36681.

Very Respy

Leck S. Crocker.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 7 1909

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*circ. let.*

May 30 5-3-09

Hon. Edwin Miller

(Washington D.C.)

Dear Sir:- Will you please  
advise what disposition has  
been made of my claim  
application No 36681.

Yours Very Truly

Edw B. Coker

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EASTERN CHERRYHILL  
DEC 23 1909

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EASTERN CHERRYHILL  
DEC 23 1909



Edith Latta H. H. H.

12-20-09

Mr. Edwin H. H.

Dear Sir,

I have the honor

to acknowledge the receipt

of your letter of the 19th

inst. in relation to the

amount of the bill for

the same.

I have the honor to inform

you that the same has been

paid in full.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Yours, very truly,

Edith Latta H. H.

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Edith Latta H. H.

No. 36681

Dec. 23rd, 1909.

Seth B. Archer,

Elk City, Kansas.

Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of December 20th, 1909 and in reply you are advised that the Court has set down all exceptions to my report of May 28th, 1909 for final hearing on January 10th, 1910. Until the Court has finally disposed of these exceptions, no distribution can be made.

We have for sale a few more copies of the roll and will be glad to send you one if you will mail us your check for Two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50).

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CC/rsm

No. 36682.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Albert L. Thompson* and 2 children. Residence: *Livingston, Penn.*

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 to 1846.
3. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

Misc. Test. & 752.

# 36682.

No. 36682

Name Albert L. Thompson

With No. 1st 2

Remarks:

No. 36683, 4-5,

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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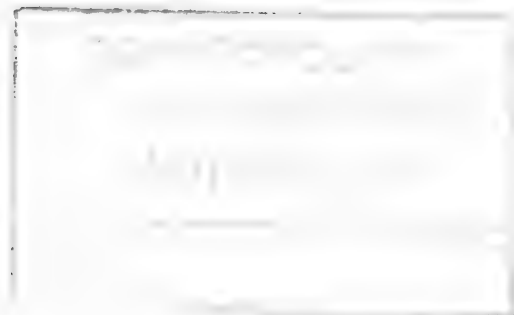
APPLICATION

OF

Albert Luther Thompson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Charley E. Thompson	4 -	4-8-1903.
(2)	Eva C. Thompson	2 -	3-14-1906.
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother: Not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: 3-23-1886

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(Mrs) (1)	Lara A. Goddard	1-16-1878	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Isaac Thompson	Robert Hill, English.
Margaret Thompson	and
English only	Ann E. Hill, English.
	Ann E. Medlock.
Ann E. Medlock	

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Fentress County

Georgia, that is Hill-Whitcomb Hill

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(Mr)	(1)	Jane M. Bide (dead)	
( )	(2)	Emma Franklin (dead)	
( )	(3)	Mary Burchett ( )	
	(4)	Grover Hill ( )	
(Mrs)	(5)	Laura Rich (dead)	
	(6)	John Hill (killed in Civil war)	
(Mrs)	(7)	John Hanks (dead)	
"	(8)	Susan Christian, Texas	
"	(9)	Lid Hill, Wilham Tenn.	
(Mrs)	(10)	Northa Gail, dead	
( )	(11)	Lina Thompson, Mrs. Math	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lina Hill (Medlock), daughter of Robert Hill, and Annie Hill (Medlock), Medlock being daughter of Charles Medlock, the Cherokee,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See affidavits of Mr. J. J. Jones, and Menerva Jones Hill (Cal.), exhibited to this application.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Albert Luther Thompson,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

E. J. White

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Dr. J. A. Langford  
and J. C. Thomas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Albert Luther Thompson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Dr. J. A. Langford

J. C. Thomas

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Appl. #36682

May 8, 1908.

Albert B. Thompson,  
P. O. Box 1,  
Livingston, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

My was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1840-45, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1840-45?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slave of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CHB/MS

fact, as to my position, I feel and regret  
to those in the land. I am too young  
to have personally ~~been~~ as my applica-  
tion will show, I would be glad to  
furnish further information if  
you wish.

Yours truly,  
Alfred Thompson

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EASTERN CHEROKEE  
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Appl. #36682

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

May 7, 1908.

Albert L. Thompson,  
R. F. D. # 1,  
Livingston, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

*John Miller*  
Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS



Dear Sir:-

Find herewith Affidavit pertaining to inquiry, on opposite page. The Afft. states what I have always <sup>been</sup> taught to be the facts as to my Indian blood and right to share in the Fund. I am too young to show personally ~~there~~ as my application will show. I would be glad to furnish further information if required.

Yours truly,

Albert Thompson

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No. 36682.

Albert L. Thompson, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Albert L. Thompson: I was born in Overton Co., Tenn. in 1880: I claim my Indian blood through my mother: my mother's maiden name was Tina Hill: my mother was born in Overton Co. in 1859: my mother claimed her Cherokee Indian blood through her mother, Ann Matlock or Ann Medlock: I have seen my grandmother: I was about five years old when she died: I have heard that she came from near Chattanooga, Tenn.: I have heard that she was born about 1817: I do not know just exactly where she was born: I make no claim of Indian blood through my father: my grandmother, Ann Matlock, got her Indian blood from her father, Charles Matlock: I do not know where my great grandfather, Charles Matlock, was born or raised: I first heard of him living in Overton Co., Tenn.: I never heard of any of my ancestors through whom I claim ever living with the Indians: none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held as slaves: in 1831 and 1831 my grandmother through whom I claim was living in Overton Co., Tenn.: none of the ancestors through whom I claim ever had an Indian name that I know of: neither I nor any of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever enrolled and never received any money or land: none of my ancestors through whom I claim ever went west with the Indians: I first heard from my grandmother that I had Cherokee Indian blood in me: it is generally known in the community in which we live that we have Indian blood in us, although we are always ~~xx~~ regarded as white people: I think that my grandmother told me that she was a half Cherokee. 35377 should be grouped with 36682.

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me at Livingston, Tenn.,  
this 11th day of June, 1908.

*J. C. R.*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* MAY 20 1908

*No.*

State of Tennessee  
Ouston County, Afft.

Personally appeared  
before me, J. A. W. White,  
Circuit Court Clerk of  
said County - H. E. Eldridge,  
with whom I am personally  
acquainted and who states  
an oath, that he is 89 years  
old, and that he was personally ac-  
quainted with the Charley  
Medlack family, the children of  
Charley Medlack, that he lived  
close neighbors for 7 years  
to said Medlacks, and that they  
were always regarded as Cherokee  
Indians and he recognized  
themselves, that prior to and about  
the years 1834-5 the Medlack  
family lived close to the present  
boundary line, the Eastern bound-  
ary line of Ouston and Putnam  
Counties, Tennessee in the

McDlack hallam, which still  
bears the name, Old Man-  
chorly McDlack, the father of  
Ann McDlack, Polly McDlack,  
Gtr & Gtr <sup>and</sup> <sup>second</sup> <sup>son</sup> McDlack, Agg  
McDlack and Otr & Ouston  
McDlack, was killed somewhere  
between the years 1830 & 1840 in  
the McDlack Community.

The grand parents of Applicant #  
36682 were living in the Eastern  
portion of Ouston County or the  
Western portion of Fentress County  
in the years 1834-5 near the  
original McDlack territory or  
Community. The McDlacks were  
recognized as Indians, I have  
seen and mixed among the Cherokee  
Indians, my uncle assisted to  
gather up the Cherokees preparing  
for their removal, I have seen the  
Cherokees visit Jamestown, Fentress  
County, Tennessee. I know the big



it is said  
black Oak tree, behind which the  
man stood who killed old Chubby  
Medlack, the great-grand-father  
of Applicant No. 36682, and seen the  
hat and the bullet hole in it where he  
had been shot. I have seen the Cherokee  
Indians in different portions  
of Middle and East Tennessee, and  
mixed with them frequently before  
they were taken out of that County,  
and afterwards also, saw numbers  
of them who had been and were  
now removed but stayed and  
mixed with the white people  
who settled the Indians' lands.  
Those who remained I suppose  
were now enrolled by the govern-  
ment. Witness my hand, this  
May 18<sup>th</sup> 1908.

M. E. Eldridge  
notary

Attest:

E. White

J. C. Sullivan

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this May 18, 1908.

E. M. White et al

Eastern Province.  
Exhibit to Albert  
Luther Thompson,  
Application.

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State of Tennessee } Affidavit  
Overton County }

Alex M. Haours, aged 70 years  
of makes the following statement  
that he personally knew the Mrd-  
locks, Obe, Amos, Guter and Pally  
Mrdlocks, the children of Chorley  
Mrdlock, Ann married Chem  
Hill, Pally married Thomas Hill,  
Guter married Ben L. Hutton, Obe  
or Overton married an Andrew,  
Aggy Mrdlock killed herself be-  
cause the man who was promised  
to be married to her hung himself,  
these Mrdlocks were always called  
Indians, Cherokee Indians, they  
had all the characteristics of the Cherokees  
long straight black ~~hair~~ hair, I knew  
them well, and was always  
taught they were Cherokee In-  
dians, They lived in Mrdlock  
"hollow", which hollow was north  
of them in Overton County Tennessee

I was borned and raised at  
Harrison Creek in Ouster  
County Tennessee. My people was  
borned and raised in Medlock  
hollow in Ouster Co. Tenn.  
I was borned Nov, 5<sup>th</sup> 1836,  
A. M. Hoover,

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this August-16<sup>th</sup> 1907.  
My Commission E. J. White  
Expires Nov, 8<sup>th</sup> 1909, Notary Public,

Eastern Cherokee  
Exhibit to Albert  
Luther Thompson  
Application  
36682

State of Tennessee }  
Carter County } Affidavit

Minerva Jane Hill makes  
the following statement an oath,  
that she personally knew Obe  
Medlock, Gite Medlock, Ann  
Medlock and Pally Medlock  
all my life up to the Civil War  
near 40 years <sup>that</sup> they lived in Carter  
County Tennessee On West Fork  
New West Fork River, that Ann Medlock  
married Abram Hill, and Pally Med-  
lock married Thomas Hill, and Gite  
married Ben L. Dutton, these were the girls,  
that these Medlocks were always  
called some kind of Indians, some  
kind of "Kee" Indians, I think  
Cherokee the best I remember,  
they had high cheek bones, long  
straight black, thinning hair  
and looked like Indians that I have  
seen and knew to be Indians,  
I have lived in Carter County



all my life I am now near  
(90) or (91) Ninety-one years old,  
I know my age by Charlotte  
Ivens who was a Will and  
she was about 11 years  
older than I am, I was raised  
by <sup>Billy Will</sup> ~~John Will~~ <sup>father</sup> ~~her~~ father,  
I was given by old John Will  
to his son John Will who is now  
dead, I was born about the  
year 1816, I remember three  
wars, the Mexican war was the  
first, I remember Tim Cul-  
lough being killed in the Mexi-  
can war and brought back to be  
buried, was at his burial.

(Minerva James <sup>her</sup> Will (Col)  
mark)

Attest: E. J. White,

Caroline Will,

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this August 16<sup>th</sup> 1907,

My Commission.

E. J. White

Witnessed Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 1907,

Notary Public,

No. 36683.

Action: *Reject.*

Name

*J. C. Thomas for* and 2 children. Residence: *Wilham, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 36682 and claims through the  
same source.*

36683



No. 36683-83-

Name .....

With No. 36682,

Remarks:

Albert Hall  
Anna C. Giddings  
Mary J. Giddings

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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### APPLICATION

OF  
*Albert Hill & Charley  
Hill by  
J. B. Thomas  
Attorney for guardian*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of <sup>this</sup> your father and mother, and <sup>this</sup> your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of <sup>this</sup> ~~your~~ father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William B. Hill <i>unknown.</i>	7-28-1886,	
(Mrs) (2)	Mary J. Langford William Lema,	4-23-1866,	
(3)	Andy Hill, Celina, Tenn.	9-4-1863,	
(4)	John J. Hill, Hamden, I. T. (Oklahoma)	8-9-1867,	
(Mrs) (5)	Alice Matong Brookville, Tenn.	4-30-1869,	
(6)	Bob Hill	7-12-1871,	2-28-1899,

17. State English and Indian names of <sup>this</sup> ~~your~~ grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Robert Clemens Hill, English <i>only.</i>	Byrd Thomas Deborah Thomas,
Anna Hill, English	Maiden name, <i>Thomas</i>
" " Medlock, Indian	" "

18. Where were they born? *Ann Medlock, in Denton County, Tenn.*  
*in the Medlock family*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Franklin*  
*County, Tennessee*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(Mrs) (1)	Jane M. E. Bide	(dead)
(") (2)	Emma Franklin	(")
(") (3)	Mary Burchett	(")
(4)	George Hill	(dead)
(Mrs) (5)	Laura Rich	(dead)
(6)	John Hill	(killed in Civil war)
(Mrs) (7)	Lee Jane King	(dead)
(8)	Susan Christman	(")
(Mrs) (9)	Lilly Hill, William, Tenn	
(10)	Motha Daily	(dead)
(Mrs) (11)	Lina Hawthorn	(dead)



21. Have <sup>they</sup> ~~you~~ ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Groge<sup>W</sup> Hill, son of Mrs. Anne Hill (Medlock), who was the daughter of Charles Medlock, the Cherokee,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

In Affidavits of Alex M. Hoover and Mawwa Jane Hill (Cal.) exhibits to Albert Luther Thompson's application.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Albert Hill and Charles Hill, by J. C. Thompson  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

E. J. White

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. A. Langford

and

J. J. Nolan

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

J. C. Thompson

the guardian

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

35 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical person they are represented

to be, and that the statements made by J. C. Thompson are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. J. White

J. A. Langford

J. J. Nolan

J. J. Nolan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36684.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lara G. Goodpastor* and 4 children. Residence: *Hillman, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Sister of # 36682 and claims through the same  
source.*

36684



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Lara Annice Goodfature*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36681

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~she~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Benton L. Goodpasture	12 years	4-9-1895
(2)	Ethel L. Goodpasture	10 "	1-30-1897
(3)	Ramond L. Goodpasture	6 "	11-7-1900
(4)	Larry L. Goodpasture	2 "	5-16-1905
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born.

Mother: Not born.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: 3-23-1886,

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Albert C. Thompson</u>	<u>9-11-1880.</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Isaac Thompson  
Margaret Thompson  
English only.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Robert Elmer Hill, English,  
only. Ann E. Hill, English,  
Ann E. Midlock,  
Indian Name.

18. Where were they born? Ann E. Midlock, in Ouston Co. Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Hill-Midlock,  
in Fulton County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(Mrs.) (1) Jane M. C. Bride (dead)  
( ) (2) Emma Franklin (dead)  
( ) (3) Mary Buschett (dead)  
( ) (4) George Hill ( )  
(Mrs.) (5) Laura Rich ( )  
( ) (6) John Hill ( ) (Killed in Civil War)  
(Mrs.) (7) Lucy Hawkins (dead)  
( ) (8) Susan Christian, Texas  
(Miss) (9) Lid Hill, Wilkerson  
(Mrs.) (10) North Daily (dead)  
(Mrs.) " Anna Thompson (dead) my mother.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lina Hill (Medlock), daughter of Ann E. Hill (Medlock), the being daughter of Charles Medlock, the Cherokee.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

In Affidavits of Alex M. Hoorn and Manuwa Jane Hill (Cal.), Exhibits to Albin Luther Thompson's application.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lara Annice Goodpasture

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug. 1907.

E. D. White

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 8th, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Dr. J. A. Langford  
and J. B. Thomas, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lara Annice Goodpasture  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Dr. J. A. Langford

J. B. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 8th, 1907.

E. D. White

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36685.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Mary Jane Langford* and 2 children. Residence: *William, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of # 36682 and claims through the same source.*



*60085*  
No. 60085

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Jane Laughlin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Jane Langford

Indian name: Medlock

2. Residence and post office: Hilham

3. County: Ouerton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 42 Born 4-23-1865

6. Where were you born? Ouerton County Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. A. Langford, 53 years,

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Wiley B. Langford,</u>	<u>18-</u>	<u>8-5-1889</u>
(2)	<u>Wilkie Langford</u>	<u>11-</u>	<u>5-5-1896</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George W. Hill

Indian name: Medlock

Mother—English name: Martha A. Hill

Indian name: Had name

Maiden name: Martha A. Beaty

12. Where were they born?

Father: Fen Tress County Tenn.

Mother: Fen Tress County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Fentress County Tennessee

Mother: Fentress County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 9-26-1900.

Mother: 3-19-1885.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William B. Hill Unknown,	7-28-1856,	
(2)	Andy Hill Selina Tenn.	9-4-1863,	
(3)	John H. Hill Hemden, I. T. (Oklahoma)	8-9-1867,	
(4)	Albert Hill,	12-4-1890,	
(Mrs.)	Alice Malony - Bookville, Tenn.	4-30-1869,	
(5)	Charley Hill	12-26-1893,	
(6)	Bob Hill	7-12-1871, ( 2-28-1899,	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Robert Abram Hill, English	Thomas Beaty
Ann E. Hill, English,	Gennie Beaty
Ann E. Medlock,	Maiden name, Mullins
Indian name,	

18. Where were they born? Ann E. Hill (Medlock), Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Medlock Hill

in Fentress County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(Mrs.) (1) Jane M. Bide (dead)

(") (2) Emma Franklin (")

(") (3) Mary Burchett (")

(4) George Hill, (my father) (dead)

(Mrs.) (5) Laura Rich (dead)

(6) John Hill (Killed in Civil war)

(Mrs.) (7) Dee Hawkins (dead)

(8) Luson Christian, Texas,

(Miss) (9) Lid Hill, Wilhams, Tenn.

(Mrs.) (10) Norba Daily, dead

(Mrs.) (11) Lina Thompson

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, \*if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: George N. Hill, son of (Mud)  
Ann E. Hill (Mudlock) who was the daughter of  
Charles Mudlock, the Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

In Affidavit of Alex M. Hoover and Marinda  
Jane Hill (Ced) Exhibit to Albert Lector  
Thompson's application.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Jane Langford.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug. 1907.

E. D. White

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov. 8th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. Thomas

and

John J. Goodpasture

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary Jane Langford

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Thomas

John J. Goodpasture

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Nov. 8th, 1909.

E. D. White

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No 36686

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Richard Stales* and 2 children. Residence: *Kingston, Sps. Vt.*

Reasons:

*Uncertain not on rolls. Does not show a gene-  
alogical connection with Cherokee tribe. Applicant  
failed to appear to give testimony. Also  
neglected to answer letter of inquiry  
in regard to family relations.*

#36686



No. 36686

Name Richard Seal

With No.

Remarks:

that are called.

No. 5042143

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Richard Seales*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H.C. Richardson atty*

*Dickman  
Tenn.*

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name— Richard Seales  
English name: Richard Seales  
Indian name: Richard Seales  
2. Residence and post office: Livingston Springs  
3. County: Cheatham  
4. State: Tennessee  
5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ Born \_\_\_\_\_  
6. Where were you born? Dickson Co, Tenn.  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Selinda Seales  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Richard Seales</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>Feb 12, 1860</u>
(2)	<u>Selinda Seales</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>1864</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Jashway Seales  
Father—English name: Jashway Seales  
Indian name: Jashway Seales  
Mother—English name: Martha Salener Rose  
Indian name: Martha Salener Rose  
Maiden name: Martha Salener Rose

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dixon County Tenn  
Mother: Alabama

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sixon County Tenn

Mother: Sixon County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:  Died in 1893

Mother: 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Elizabeth</u>	<u>1859</u>	

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Peter Seales Mary Seales

Jalen Rose Pegie Rose

18. Where were they born? Farther North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Sixon County

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Albert Seales Palley Seales

(2) Alfred Seales Reed Seales

(3) Jake Seales

(4) Shelway Seales

(5) Gashaway Seales

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Richard Seab

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

G. J. Greer

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept

1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. M. Hayes

and

Mary E. Mells

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Richard Seales

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and

46 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Hayes

Mary E. Mells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept

1910

G. J. Greer

Notary Public.

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Appl. #36686

May 7, 1900.

Richard Leslie,  
Knoxville, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please give the date of your birth. Did you, your parents, or grandparents ever reside with the Cherokee tribe? If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the record through whom you claim not enrolled in 1861, and where was he at the time in 1861-65, if living at that time. Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1861-65?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CLE/ALS

*CHB*

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Recd.	JUN 1 1908
No.	36686



State of Tennessee  
Dickson County,  
Christianity

On this 28th day of July 1908  
personally appeared before  
me ~~W. R. Boddy~~ <sup>W. R. Boddy</sup> a Notary  
Public in and for the County  
and State of said <sup>Commenced</sup>  
and qualified as such  
Richard Seals a citizen of  
the Cheatham County,  
Tennessee a person  
with whom I am well  
acquainted and whom  
I certify to be credible, respectable  
and trust worthy and whose  
statement when made  
under oath are entitled  
to full faith and credit  
in any Court of Justice  
in that State or in any Department  
of the United States Government  
The said Richard Seals  
having been by me first duly  
sworn a dea and being  
to long depose and says  
that he was born on the 12  
day of July 1861 in Dickson  
County, Tennessee and  
that his father is John Seals  
and his Grand Father  
Peter Seals were Eastern  
Cherokee Indians Peter  
Seals came from North



Carlinos and was living  
there in 1835 & 6, and came  
to Tennessee some  
time thereafter a long  
with other Indians  
who later on moved  
on west leaving the  
Seales or Seel, in  
Dickson County Tenn.  
They were living in Dickson  
County Tennessee in  
1851 and I do not  
know why they were not  
enrolled I did not  
know this could be done  
until I filed my application  
in this case. None  
of my people never was  
enrolled that I ever heard  
of they were recognized  
as Indians and  
associated with  
white people there is  
no negro blood in  
any of my people. My  
Grand Father Taylor Rose  
was a one half Cherokee  
Indian and came  
to Dickson County  
Tennessee I do not  
know whether he or any  
of his people ever was  
enrolled or not they  
went west and he was killed

near Little Rock Ark.  
if they were not enrolled  
it was like the other side  
they did not say they could  
be enrolled  
+ Richard Seals

Sworn to and subscribed  
before me by Richard Seals  
on this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 1908  
I further certify I am not  
directly or indirectly  
interested in the prosecution  
of this cause. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto signed  
my name and affixed the  
Official seal of my office  
on this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May 1908  
G. J. Greer Notary Public

34259

COURT OF COMMONS  
EASTERN DISTRICT  
AUG 26 1908  
36686

Sworn to and subscribed before me by James H. Green, 1908.  
this the 26 day of August

I further certify I am not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of this case. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto signed my name and official seal of my office on this, the 26 day of August

....., 1908.

James H. Green Notary Public.







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Sworn to and subscribed before me by \_\_\_\_\_  
this the 15 day of August, 1908.

I further certify I am not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of this case. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto signed my name and official seal of my office on this, the 15 day of August,  
\_\_\_\_\_, 1908.

\_\_\_\_\_  
G. J. Green Notary Public.







STATE OF TENNESSEE }  
County of Chester }

*Affidavit in Cherokee Indian Claim No.* 36456

On this 25 day of August 1908, personally appeared before me Jack Lee Greer  
a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, commissioned and qualified as such Richard  
Sealer a citizen of Chester County, Tennessee, a

person with whom I am well acquainted, and whom I certify to be credible, respectable and trustworthy, and whose statements, when made under oath, are entitled to full faith and credit in any Court of Justice in the State, or in any department of the United States Government. The said Reed 2221

11. 2110 having been by me first duly sworn, according to law, deposes and says:

That . . . . . has appointed H. C. Richardson, of Dickson, Tennessee, as . . . . . lawful attorney to prosecute this claim to collection, for which . . . . . agrees to pay him . . . . . per cent. of the amount coming to . . . . . in this case.

Mother & as I am not in the habit of  
 Grandfather, there is what would  
 be without it was on the account  
 of the presence of the fact that they  
 lived in (24) I believe through  
 my Father, Joseph Selby & my Mother  
 Martha J. Rose & as they were both  
 Eastern, Cherokee Indians and  
 lived in Grandfather's house & as  
 Father & Mother & also  
 my Mother's Father, Taylor  
 & as Grandfather & Rose and  
 they were living in 1835-6, 1836  
 (34) all the lives of the  
 living in 1835-6, 1836  
 and they were a good deal of the  
 the whole of the lives of the  
 of the whole of the lives of the  
 Rose and his, Taylor & Rose  
 lived with the Cherokee  
 Indians where they died. Myself  
 was born of my people

ever got my money from  
Hollis Houchens. That I never  
had of ~~the~~ money and  
never had any people who  
ever stole. Mary E. Hall,  
1111 1/2 11th & 12th St. N.W.  
32453 my sister

36686

Richard Seal

1111 1/2 11th & 12th St. N.W.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Richard Seal  
this the 25 day of August, 1908.

I further certify I am not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of this case. In testimony  
whereof I have hereunto signed my name and official seal of my office on this, the 25 day of August  
1908.

G. J. Greer Notary Public.

Seal

No. 667

Action:

Excluded

Name

Mr. Thomas and 2 children.

Residence:

Smithville Tenn.

Reasons:

Not a citizen

No. 36687.

Name .....

With No. 35629.

Remarks:

Thin Hammer.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Julie Hammons  
& 2 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Liza J. Hammons	20	Feb 2 - 1887
(2)	Nathan B. "	16	Aug 18 - 1891
(3)			
(4)	My husband has put in for		
(5)	our children on his blank		
(6)			

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1885

Mother: 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: The ~~Birch~~fields were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Anna Birchfield	(7 years old)	
(2)	Nancy	11	
(3)	Hollie	11	
(4)	Nathaniel	11	
(5)	Samuel	11	
(6)	Ezekiel	11	

(No Record)

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Nathaniel Birchfield	James & Baker
11	11
11	11
Anna	Nancy
11	11
11	11

18. Where were they born? Nathaniel Birchfield N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Nathan Birchfield	Britton Baker
(2)	Ruben	Saborn
(3)	John	David
(4)	Wilson	Thos
(5)	Samuel	Leonard
(6)	Mike	Polley
	Betty	Nancy
	Dolly	Hollie
		Sinda
		Charity
		Sucker

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*Father's name Wilson Burchfield & his Father Nathaniel Burchfield & his wife was Anna Burchfield maiden name Anna Mc Kenney*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*(22)*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Judith Hammons*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*20*

day of

*Aug*

1907.

*W. A. Woody*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*April*

1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*Nathaniel Burchfield*

and

*N. B. Witt*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Judith Hammons*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *35* years and

*35* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Nathaniel Burchfield*

*N. B. Witt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

*20*

day of

*Aug*

1907.

My commission expires

*April*

1910.

*W. A. Woody*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36688

Action: Report

Name Jesse A. Hamm and ~~2~~ children. Residence: Serrano, Fresno

Reasons: ~~Caused by~~ Joshua Birchfield " 36688

No. 36688

Name Jessie A. Hammond

With No. 36317

Remarks:

Born 1851

Not an all.

Clarissa through  
Grandmother

Real  
Mary Ann ~~Hammond~~

No. 36 688

Name Jessie A. Hammons

With No. 36 317

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jessie A. Hammond*  
*3 Children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress of June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Department of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jessie A. Hammors

Indian name: Wannick

2. Residence and post office: Servilla

3. County: Falk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 56

Born 1851

6. Where were you born? Servilla Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Judie Hammors

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Nathan B Hammors</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Aug 18 - 1891</u>
(2)	<u>Liza</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Feb 2 1887</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Lewis Hammors

Indian name: Wannick

Mother—English name: Sarah Hammors

Indian name: Wannick

Maiden name: Wannick

12. Where were they born?

Father: N. C.

Mother: N. C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sum

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1889

Mother: 1855

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Mannicks were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Alx</u>	<u>Hammom</u>	<u>survived</u>
(2)	<u>James</u>		
(3)	<u>Geo</u>		
(4)	<u>Hining</u>		
(5)	<u>Johnathan</u>		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>Alx</u>	<u>Mannick</u>
	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>Mary</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>11</u>	<u>Keal</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>James</u>	<u>Mannick</u>	
(2)	<u>Willie</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>that's all I can give</u>
(3)	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>11</u>	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Sarah  
Hammours Braiders name Sarah Warrick  
& her mother Mary Warrick Braiders

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

name Mary Neal a daughter of  
James Neal  
a full Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) J. A. Hammours

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

W A Woody  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me N Burchfield  
and N B Witt, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with J. A. Hammours  
who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 40 years and  
40 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N Burchfield  
N B Witt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

W A Woody  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

April. #36688

May 7, 1908.

Jessie A. Hemmons,  
Savville, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Also, you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indian or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided.

May was the year through which you did not enroll in 1881, and where you were at the time in 1881-82, if living at that time. Were there your grandparents on the first census when you were residing in 1881-82?

Is your mother or grandmother now alive? What other places of birth are white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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FRONT OF CASE  
EASTERN CHURCHES  
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No.



Application ~~to~~ 36688.

CHP

Savilla Tenn. 5/30/38  
Commissioner of Indian Affairs  
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir.

Yours favor of May 7<sup>th</sup> to hand & some carefully noted  
the reason have not answered sooner have been getting up proof.

(1)

My father & Grandfather resided with the Cherokee Indians  
in N.C. from 1824 until 1835.

(2)

The reason they were not enrolled the old people that were  
here said they didn't know there was such a thing as  
enrolling.

I suppose they were very illiterate & didn't know what was best for them  
didn't happen to meet with the enrolling officers & look after their  
interest like they should.

(3)

My Grandfather was a white man though I am told  
he married a part Indian so I can see my Grand



mother was a part-Indian & recognized by the  
Indians as a Indian.

(4)

There was never any of my people held as slaves.  
If this proof is not sufficient let me know at  
once & I will get up more proof.

Very truly Yours,  
Josiah Hammons.

No. 365 88

Action:

Refused

Name: Mrs. Harmon and 2 children.

Residence:

Sumalla, Tenn.

Reasons:

after 1st trial & claims the same same &

No. 3689-72

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name .....  
With No. 35629.

Remarks:

John S. Edwards,

Reverend

No. 34490

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Wm J. Hammons*  
*& children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36693

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wm. T. Hammons

Indian name: " Purchfield

2. Residence and post office: Sevilla

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 27 Born Aug. 27, 1879

6. Where were you born? Polk county Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Oldesta C. Hammons 21

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Hester, M. Hammons</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>March 7, 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Lusie J. "</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Jan 15, 1906</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jessie C. Hammons

Indian name: " Purchfield

Mother—English name: Indie E.

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Polk County Tenn.

Mother: Cherokee County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Polk County Tenn

Mother: Cherokee County N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary E. Hammans	Jan. 1, 1872	Living
(2)	Nancie E. "	March 25, 1874	"
(3)	Beckie A. "	Oct. 18, 1882	"
(4)	Eliza J. "	Feb. 25, 1887	"
(5)	Nathaniel W. "	Aug. 18, 1891	"
(6)	James W. "	(no heirs)	Dead
	Harriet "	(no heirs)	Dead

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Hammans	Wilson Burchfield
" Burchfield	"

18. Where were they born?

N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Polk County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Anna Burchfield	Alt. Hammans
(2)	Nancy "	Jim "
(3)	Stella "	George "
(4)	Nathaniel "	Henry "
(5)	Samuel "	Nathaniel "
(6)	Elizabeth "	Jessie "



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mothers name Judie

Hammans maiden name Judie Burchfield  
her Father Wilson Burchfield his \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Father Nathaniel Burchfield (Cherokee)  
his wife was Anna Burchfield Maiden  
name Anna M. E. Rindy (Cherokee)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William T. Hammans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Woody  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nathaniel Burchfield

and N. B. Mitt, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William T. Hammans

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nathaniel Burchfield  
N. B. Mitt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1910. W. A. Woody  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COUNT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. JUN 27 1909

No. 36687

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A small, stylized handwritten mark or signature, possibly a flourish or a signature, located below the main text block.

No. 36698

Name

*Delia P. Thompson* and *no* children.

Action:

*Accepted*

Residence:

*Seneca, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Trice of 35629 claims the same source.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Rebecca M. Hamman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



36692

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Rebecca Ann Hammons

Indian name: " " Burchfield

2. Residence and post office: Servilla

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 25 Born Oct 18 - 1882

6. Where were you born? Servilla

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>none</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jessie Hammons

Indian name: " " Burchfield

Mother—English name: Judie Hammons

Indian name: " " Burchfield

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Cherokee County N.C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: the Burchfields were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary E. Hammond	Jan 1st 1872	Living
(2)	Nancy "	Mar 25th 1874	"
(3)	Jamies W "	dead (no heirs)	Dead
(4)	Wm J "	Aug 27th 1879	Living
(5)	Liza J "	July 25th 1887	"
(6)	Nathaniel "	Aug 18th 1891	"
	Harrie "	dead (no heirs)	Dead

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Wilson Burchfield
	" "
	Bettie "
	" "

18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Anna Burchfield	
(2)	Nancy	"
(3)	Hollie	"
(4)	Julie	"
(5)	Nathaniel	"
(6)	Samuel	"
	Yell	"

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nathaniel Burchfield  
Hammons Burchfield Indie Burchfield  
her Father Wilson Burchfield & his Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nathaniel Burchfield his wife Anna  
Burchfield Burchfield name Anna  
the Hammons all Cherokee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rebecca Ann Hammons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Woody

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nathaniel Burchfield  
and Organ Hammons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Rebecca Ann Hammons  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nathaniel Burchfield  
Organ Hammons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

W. A. Woody

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36691

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Nancy E. Hammons* and *no* children. Residence: *Smiths, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Teacher & claims to be same name.*

No 36791

Name *[illegible]*

With No. 45-81

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Nancy E. Hammer*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Polk County Tenn

Mother: Cherokee County N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary G. Hammons	Jan 1, 1872	Living
(2)	Nannie E. "	March 25, 1874	"
(3)	Joe W. "	Oct 10, 1876	Dead
(4)	Wm T. "	Aug. 27, 1879	Living
(5)	Becki G. "	Oct, 18, 1882	"
(6)	Eliza J. "	Feb 25, 1887	"
	Nathanial "	Aug. 18, 1891	"
	Heray J. "		Dead

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Isaac Hammons

" Burchfield

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Wilson Burchfield

" "

18. Where were they born?

N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Polk County Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Anna Burchfield	Alt Hammons
(2)	Nancy "	Jim "
(3)	Walter "	George "
(4)	Nathanial "	Henry "
(5)	Samuel "	Johnathan "
(6)	Becki "	Jessie "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Judie  
Hannary Maiden name Judie Burchfield  
her Father Wilson Burchfield his Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nathaniel Burchfield (Cherokee) his  
wife was Anna Burchfield maiden name  
Anna M. Finney (Cherokee)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancie E. Hommons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Woody  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Nathaniel Burchfield

and

N. B. Witt

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Nancie E. Hommons

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for \_\_\_\_\_ years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Nathaniel Burchfield  
N. B. Witt

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April 1910

W. A. Woody  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36692

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mary E. Cumming* and *1* children. Residence: *Louisville, Ky.*

Reasons:

*Rec. of 35629 claims the same source*

No. 1111112

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

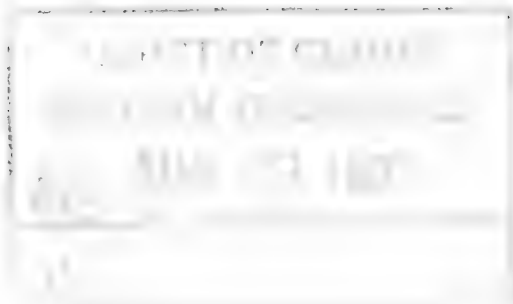
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary E. Cunningham*  
+ *Child*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary E Cunningham

Indian name: " " Burchfield

2. Residence and post office: Serrilla

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 35 Born Jan 1 — 1872

6. Where were you born? Serrilla

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W E Cunningham

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee 37

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Steller J Cunningham</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug 18 — 1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jessie Hammors

Indian name: " Burchfield

Mother—English name: Judie Hammors

Indian name: " Burchfield

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn N.C. (Cherokee County)

Mother: N.C. (Cherokee County)



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: the Burchfields were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy E	Mar 25 <sup>th</sup> 1874	Living
(2)	James W dead (mother's)		
(3)	Wm J	Aug 27 <sup>th</sup> 1879	Living
(4)	Rebecca	Oct 18 1882	"
(5)	Liza J	July 25 1887	"
(6)	Nathan B	Aug 18 <sup>th</sup> 1891	
	Harvie W dead (mother's)		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	Wilson Burchfield
	11
	Bettie 11
	11

18. Where were they born? Carter County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Anna Burchfield	
(2)	Nancy	11
(3)	Lallie	11
(4)	Jodie	11 (my mother)
(5)	Nathaniel	11
(6)	Samuel	11
	Mike	11



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*mother name Judie  
Harrison Maiden name Judie Burchfield  
her Father Wilson Burchfield & his*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Father Nathaniel Burchfield (a Cherokee)  
his wife was Anna Burchfield Maiden  
name Anna McKenney (a Cherokee)*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Mary E. Cunningham*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*W A Woody*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*April 1910.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)—

Personally appeared before me

*Nathaniel Burchfield*

and

*N. B. Witt*

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Mary E. Cunningham*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and

*20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Nathaniel Burchfield  
N B Witt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *20* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*April*

*1910.*

*W A Woody*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36673

Action: *Repet*

Name *Mahinda G. Elliz* and *X* children.

Residence: *Zitrus, La*

Reasons:

*Wife of # 3682 and claims through the  
same source.*

No. 36693-6.

Name

With No. 3682.

Remarks:

Melinda A. Eller  
Jno. D. "  
Mamara "  
Jas. Shook.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Malinda A. Ellis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Melinda A. Eller  
Indian name: Tifus  
2. Residence and post office: Town  
3. County: Ga  
4. State: Ga  
5. How old are you? 58 Born 1849  
6. Where were you born? Town County Ga  
7. Are you married? Yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: John P. Eller, 68 years old  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	G. F. Eller	41	1865
(2)	Leola Sharp	39	1867
(3)	Biddy L. Eller	37	1869
(4)	John W. F. Eller	37	1870
(5)	William M. Eller	33	1873
(6)	Lorena Eller	31	1875
	Anderson Eller	27	1879

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Francis D. Nicholson	I cant tell	
(2)	Elisha F. "	"	"
(3)	Joseph M. "	"	"
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Isaac Nicholson	Rebecca Nicholson
And my Grand mother	Rebecca
Nicholson was a full blooded	
Master wood. Cherokee Indian	

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: under Love

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. My Father was Jonathan Nicholson  
and my mother Elisabeth Nicholson and my Grandparents was  
Isaac Nicholson and Rebecca Nicholson and my  
Grand mother Rebecca Nicholson was a full blooded  
Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

my Great Grandmother was Rebecca Indigues.  
and she was a full blooded half breed  
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Malinda A. Eller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

John F. During

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 18

1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Alfred M. Eller  
and Joseph P. Garrett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Malinda A. Eller  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alfred M. Eller

Joseph P. Garrett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 18

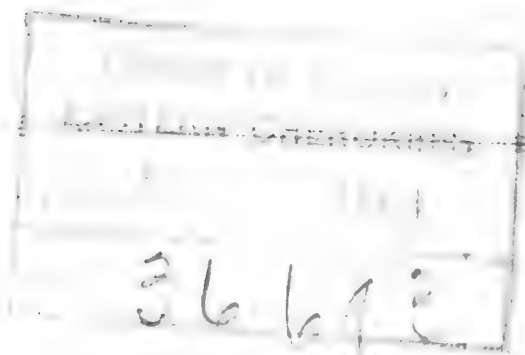
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John F. During

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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1911

Sept 3rd 1908.  
Garrison Miller Special Comm Indian Claims  
Washington D.C.  
Dear Sir.

I write you to know what  
disposition has been made of  
my claim for a share of  
the money allowed to the eastern  
Cherokees. I think I made  
sufficient proof in my claim.  
I would like for you to  
inform me if any thing  
is lacking in my claim.  
an early reply will be highly  
appreciated

Most Respectfully  
Mrs Malinda A. Eller

Yours

No. 36674

Action:

Reject

Name

John H Eller

and

7

children.

Residence:

Natus, Ga.

Reasons:

Cousin of # 3682 and claims through  
the same source.

No. 215112

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John H. Eller*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John H. Eller

Indian name: Titus

2. Residence and post office: Town

3. County: Town

4. State: Ga

5. How old are you? 37 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Town County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary H. Eller

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Indian

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lena Eller	16	1891
(2)	Lue Eller	14	1893
(3)	Lana Eller	11	1896
(4)	Harriet Eller	9	1898
(5)	Dessie Eller	6	1901
(6)	B. Eller	4	1903
(7)	Jessie Eller	1	1906

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John P. Eller

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Matilda A. Eller

Indian name:

Maiden name: Matilda (Nicholson)

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ga Town Co Ga

Mother: Town County Ga



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Town Co Ga

Mother: in Town Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	G. F. Eller	age 41, 1865-	

(2)	Malca Shook	39, 1867	
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(3)	Biddy Eller	37, 1869	Dead
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(4)	<del>John H. Eller</del>	<del>37, 1875</del>	
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(5)	William M. Eller	33, 1873	
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(6)	Larcena Eller	31, 1875	
	Anderson Eller	27, 1879	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jacob Eller  
Nancy Eller

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jonathan Nicholson  
Elizabeth Nicholson

18. Where were they born? My Grandfather Jacob Eller was born in N.C. and my Grandmother in Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in Town Co Ga

my Grandfather Nicholson & Grandmother Nicholson resided in Town Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Winnat Give Them,

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My Grandfather on my Mother's Side was Jonathan Nicholson  
and my Grand Mother was Elizabeth Nicholson  
and my great grand father was George Nicholson  
and my great grand mother was Rebecca Nicholson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

and Rebecca Nicholson was a quarter born  
Cherokee Indian. and her Mother Rebecca  
Pendragon was a full blooded half bred  
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John H. Eller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

John P. Benson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 18

1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John H. Eller  
and James Shook, who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John H. Eller  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

John H. Eller

Signatures of Witnesses.

John H. Eller  
James Shook

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 18

1909

John P. Benson

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. No. 36894.

September 6, 1907.

John H. Eller,

Titus, Georgia.

Sir:

Please notify this Office at once as to the date of the birth of your child, Josie Eller.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

601 OURAY BUILDING,

App. No. 36694.

WASHINGTON, D. C. September 6, 1907.

John H. Eller,

Titus, Georgia.

Sir:

Please notify this Office at once as to the date of the  
birth of your child, Josie Eller.

Very respectfully,

*Simon Miller*

Special Commissioner.

*per J.E.S.*

WEA

*John H. Eller  
Titus, Georgia  
Sept. 1907*

*John H. Eller*

#36694

File



Letter La Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1861  
Friend Mill Special name  
about J. C. Cairns Whistle  
Doubtless Graham  
Washington D.C.  
My strongest friend  
Jesse Miller now gone  
They are good men  
Very respectfully  
John H. Miller

No. 36695

Action: *Reject*

Name *Minerva Eller* and *6* children. Residence: *Ntus, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Niece of # 3682 and claims through the  
same source.*

No. 11007

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Manerva Eller*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

36695

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Manrova Eller

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Titus

3. County: Townes County

4. State: Ga.

5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865

6. Where were you born? Barren County Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: G. F. Eller 41 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ellen May Eller</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1899</u>
(2)	<u>Martine Eller</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
(3)	<u>Altha Eller</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1898</u>
(4)	<u>Leatha Eller</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(5)	<u>Bistha Eller</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(6)	<u>Howard Eller</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Jeff Eller

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Eller

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Elizabeth Shook

12. Where were they born?

Father: Townes County Ga

Mother: Fannin County Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Towns County Ga

Mother: Towns County Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in the year 1869

Mother: mother is living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: the have not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John E. Eller</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Joseph Eller</u>	<u>John Shook</u>
<u>Marie Eller</u>	<u>Jane Shook</u>

18. Where were they born? Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Towns County Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>I can not answer</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father Jeffrey Eller and my Mother Elisabeth Eller my Grand father was John Shook and my Grandmother was John Shook

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have my claim on the following grounds  
My great Grandmother Rebecca Victoriano was  
a Quoter now Cherokee Indian and her mother  
Rebecca Pendergast was a full blooded half bred  
Cherokee Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mamie E. Eller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19

day of

August

1907.

John P. Dunning

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 18

1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

James Shook

and

Alfred M. Eller

, who being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mamie Eller

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

her

for

16

years and

years, respectively, and know

her

to be the identical person

she

represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by

her

are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

her

claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Anderson Eller

James Shook

John H. Eller

Alf M. Eller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

19

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

May 18

1909.

John P. Dunning

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36696.

Action: *Reject*

Name

*James Shook*

and

*7*

children.

Residence:

*Ntus, L. G.*

Reasons:

*Niece of # 3682 and claims through the  
same source.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*James Shock*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jamie Shook

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Titus

3. County: Town

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 47 Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Town County Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Shook (age) 46

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charlie Shook</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1887</u>
(2)	<u>Hassie Shook</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(3)	<u>Dillard Shook</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(4)	<u>Harrison Shook</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1892</u>
(5)	<u>Attie Shook</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(6)	<u>Mack Shook</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
	<u>Clara Shook</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Mack Shook

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Malinda Shook

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martinda Eller

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Townsend County Ga.

Mother: Townsend County Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1863

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John Shook</u> <u>Burton Ga.</u>		
(2)	<u>W. E. Shook</u> <u>Titus Ga.</u>		
(3)	<u>Demaria Shook</u> <u>New Holland Ga.</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Shook</u>	<u>Jae Edder</u>
<u>Jane Shook</u>	<u>Mariah Edder</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Cannot give them</u>	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ma

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father Mark Shook  
grand father John Shook great (grand parent)  
Isaac Nicholson & Rebecca Nicholson and  
Rebecca Nicholson was a Pendergrass

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James Shook

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

John F. Dunning

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 18, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Alfred M. Eller

and

Joseph D. Garrett

that they are well acquainted with

James Shook

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 26 years and

himself years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Alfred M. Eller

Joseph D. Garrett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

May 18, 1909.

John F. Dunning

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

*George H. [unclear]*  
*H. C. [unclear]*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29 day of August, 1907.

*John W. [unclear]*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 18, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36696

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

*James Shook*

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. \_\_\_\_\_

1. State your full name: James Shook
2. Residence and post office: Titus
3. County: Town
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Born in 1860 at Visage, Ga
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah Shook 46 years old
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? She doesn't belong to any tribe
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>C. G. Shook</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1887</u>
(2)	<u>Hassie Shook</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
(3)	<u>Dillard Shook</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(4)	<u>Harrison Shook</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1892</u>
(5)	<u>Hettie Shook Jr.</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(6)	<u>Mack Shook</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1899</u>
(7)	<u>Claude Shook</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were never enrolled.

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~I hereby appoint BEVEL A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. attorney for the above minors and allow her a commission of ten per cent.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James Shook  
made

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August 1907.

John P. Robinson  
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 18, 1909.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Emory S. Barron and H. A. Shoak who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Shoak who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Emory S. Barron  
H. A. Shoak

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of August, 1907.

John P. Barron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires May 18, 1909.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 300710

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

James Shoak

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

No. 36697.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Julia J. Pleasant* and 1 children. Residence: *Richmond, Ind.*

Reasons:

*Sister of #35260 and claims through the same source.*

No. 36697  
Name *Wm A. Pleasant,*  
With No. 35260.

Remarks:

No. 20417

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

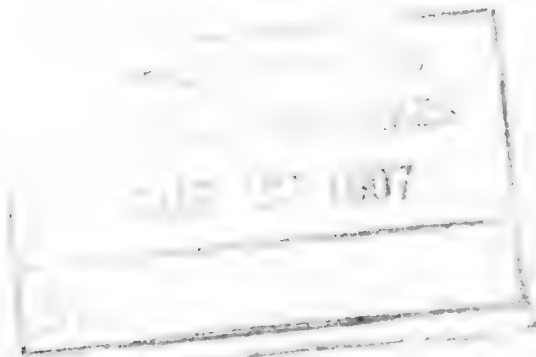
APPLICATION

OF

*William Pleasant*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julia M. Pleasant

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Wilmington, Del.

3. County: Wayne

4. State: Delaware

5. How old are you? 47 years

Born

1861 Jan 29

6. Where were you born? Near Greenville, Del Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 65 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Walter Pleasant</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Nov 4 1889</u>
(2)	<u>Samuel Pleasant</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>April 2 1891</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Walter Johnson

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Lucinda Johnson

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Lucinda Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Wilmington, Del

Mother: Near Flat Rock, N. C.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: near Greenville Ind Co Ohio

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April 30 1879

Mother: Oct 1 1905

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
age 47	(1) Julia A. Johnson	Jan 21 1860	
	525 S. 12th Richmond Ind.		
75	(2) Nancy L. Johnson	Jan 9 1867	
42	1212 S. 14th Springfield		
40	(3) Arthur L. Johnson	April 30 1871	
	Layton Ohio 233 E. Wall St		
37	(4) William L. Johnson	Apr 9 1869	
	Washington Ind		
33	(5) Joseph L. Johnson	Feb 12 1873	
	112 S. Hudson Ave. Washington		
25 26 30	(6) George L. Johnson	Jan 7 1876	
	Washington Ind		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Joseph Johnson  
Clarissa Johnson  
Sarlton Johnson  
Julia A. Johnson  
Hannah Johnson

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

near Greenville Ind Co Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Walter Johnson	Dead
(2) Nancy Johnson	Springfield Ohio 1878
(3) Sarah Johnson	Dead
(4) Helen Johnson	Dead
(5) Myrtle Johnson	1202 S. 14th Springfield
(6) Joseph Johnson	1212 S. 14th Springfield
(7) Charles Johnson	Dead
(8) Alfred Johnson	Dead
(9) Emma Johnson	1212 S. 14th Springfield

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My great great grand father on the  
side was a Cherokee Indian My great grand mother on the same side  
was a Cherokee Indian captured by a man named Cadan Sallure  
and taken to a place near Richmond Va.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My great great grand father's name was John Sallure and my  
great grand father's name was John Sallure and my  
great grand mother's name was Mary Sallure and my  
great mother's name was Mary Sallure and my

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Murphy J. Pleasant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1907.

Theo R Woodhurst

Notary Public

My commission expires

July 23rd

1901

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John Carpenter

and

Sidney M. Squire

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Julia J. Pleasant

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and

her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person her represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Sidney M. Squire

John Carpenter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1907.

My commission expires

July 23rd

1901

Theo R Woodhurst

Notary Public.

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No. 36698

Action: *Reject*

Name *George L. Moore* and — children. Residence: *Lockney, Texas.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #551, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 36698  
Name George L. Moore  
With No. 551  
Remarks:

No. 215

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*L. Moore*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Commissioner of Indian Affairs,**

**Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—  
English name: George L. Moore.  
Indian name: George L. Moore.
2. Residence: Floyd County, Texas.
3. Town and post office: Lockney, Texas.
4. County: Floyd County, Texas.
5. State: Texas.
6. Date and place of birth: McDonald County, Missouri.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: Through my Mother, America E. Moore. ~~who~~ nee Hall, who was a daughter of Mahala Lawson, nee Hall, nee Martin, who was a daughter of Susan Martin, nee Wolf, who was a daughter of Dennis Wolf, whose name appears on page "4" of the Eastern Emigrant Roll of 1835. taken in the State of Tenn.
8. Are you married? No.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: none.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.  
Father—English name: Abner Moore. America <sup>E.</sup> Moore, Nee Hall,  
Indian name: Same.  
Mother—English name: America E. Moore.  
Indian name: Same.  
Maiden name: America E. Hall.
11. Where were they born?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: In Arkansas.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?  
Father: In Tennessee.  
Mother: Was not born till 1854.
13. Date of death of your father and mother -  
Father: Died in 1884. Mother: Still Living.



14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Not to my Knowledge.

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Madora Starbuck, Nee Moore.</u>	<u>36 yrs.</u>	<u>still living.</u>
(2) <u>Finis L. Moore.</u>	<u>28</u> <u>"7/8/87.</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3) <u>Elsie Moore.</u>	<u>15 "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(4) <u>Euna Moore.</u>	<u>10 "</u>	<u>" "</u>
(5) _____	_____	_____
(6) _____	_____	_____

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Hosey Moore. White man.</u>	<u>Alfred Hall. White man.</u>
<u>Eliza Moore. " woman.</u>	<u>Mahala Lawson, maiden name Martin.</u>
<u>They lived in Tennessee</u>	<u>They lived in Arkansas</u>
<u>in 1851.</u>	<u>in 1851.</u>

17. Where were they born? Moore's born in Tenn. and Alfred Hall born  
in N. Car. and Mahala Lawson  
in Tenn.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Arkansas.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name:	<u>Margret Buttry. Born Aug. 14th, 1830.</u>
Indian name:	<u>Mahala Lawson, " " " May, 14th, 1832. Same.</u>
Residence:	<u>Dead.</u>
(2) English name:	<u>Mahala Lawson. Born May 14th, 1832.</u>
Indian name:	<u>Same.</u>
Residence:	<u>Dead.</u>
(3) English name:	<u>Thomas J. Martin. Born Oct. 6th, 1834.</u>
Indian name:	<u>Same.</u>
Residence:	<u>Dead.</u>
(4) English name:	<u>Mary J. Ellis, Born Oct. 15th, 1836.</u>
Indian name:	<u>Same.</u>
Residence:	<u>Dead.</u>
(5) English name:	<u>Moses Martin, Born Sep't. 4th, 1839.</u>
Indian name:	<u>Same.</u>
Residence:	<u>Dead.</u>

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. No.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: My Mother, America E. Moore, nee Hall, who was a daughter of Mahala Lawson, nee Hall nee Martin, who was a daughter of Susan Martin, nee Wolf, who was a daughter of Dennis Wolf whose name appears on page "4" of the Eastern Emigrant Roll of 1835 taken in the State of Tennessee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby appoint Bevan S. Cockwood of Washington D.C. my true and lawful Attorney for me, and in my name, place, and stead, and agree to allow her a Commission of 10 per cent.

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

George L. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th, day of August, 1907

My commission expires

July 14th, 1908.

J. H. Martin,  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me ~~John Lawson~~ W. D. Muncy and ~~Henry Schell~~ F. J. Moore, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George L. Moore, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

W. D. Muncy  
F. J. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th, day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 14th, 1908.

J. H. Martin

Notary Public.

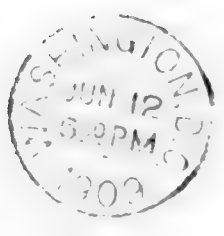
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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Unclaimed*

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RETURN TO SENDER



OFFICIAL ENVELOPE  
Any person using this envelope to avoid the  
payment of postage on private matter of  
any kind, will be subject to a fine of  
Three Hundred Dollars.

George L. Moore,  
~~Lockney,~~  
Texas.



*Unclaimed*

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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

George L. Moore,

~~Hookney,~~

Texas.

RETURN TO SENDER



OFFICIAL ENVELOPE  
No person using this envelope to evade the  
payment of postage on private matter of  
any kind shall be liable to a fine of  
three hundred dollars.





**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,**

**EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,**

**601 OURAY BUILDING,**

**WASHINGTON, D. C.**

*George L. Moore,*

*Lockney,*  
*Texas.*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 2462, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 36699

Action: *Reject*

Name

*Pandy Lawson*

and

children.

Residence:

*Artesia, New Mexico*

Reasons:

*Brother of #5 and claims through the same ancestor*

No. 36699

Name Tandy Larsson

With No. 551

Remarks:

No. 111111

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Fandy Lawson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

Through my mother  
Mahala Lawson nee J. A. McMartin who  
was a daughter of Susan Martin nee Wolf  
who was a daughter of Jennie Wolf whose  
name appears on the "A" of the Eastern Cherokee  
Grant Roll of 1835 taken in the State  
of Tennessee

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father English name:

Indian name:

Mother English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother

Father:

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *not to my knowledge*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Stephens, nee Hall	1852	1890
(2)	America E. <del>Wick</del> McHall	1855	Living
(3)	John L. Hall	1860	"
(4)	Helen Lawson, nee Keller	1871	"
(5)	Edw <del>ick</del> Lawson	1873	"
(6)	Ida Lawson, nee Perkins	1876	"

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Henis Lawson	William Martin
	Susan Martin
	name

17. Where were they born? *Lawsons, don't know*  
*Martins in Tennessee*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *In Arkansas*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *I cannot give them.*

Indian name:

Residence:

(2) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *No*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if

possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835: *My mother, Mahala Lawson, nee Hall, nee Martin, who was a daughter of Susan Martin, nee Wolf, who was a daughter of Dennis Wolf whose name appears on page 4 of the Eastern Emigration Roll of 1835 taken in Tennessee.*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

*I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.*

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.)

*Tandy Lawson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *August*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

*July 14*, 190*8*

*J. W. Martin,*

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *L. W. Muncy* and *W. D. Muncy*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Tandy Lawson* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *4* years and *6* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

*L. W. Muncy*  
*W. D. Muncy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *August*, 190*7*.

My commission expires

*July 14*, 190*8*

*J. W. Martin,*

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



Appl. #36699

November 23, 1937.

Waddy Lawson,  
Artesia, N. M.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please inform us why your mother and grandmother on your mother's side were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851. Please state whether or not they were ever enrolled with any other tribe of Indians. If so, state the name of the tribe, where they were enrolled and when.

Can you furnish us with evidence tending to establish the fact that you are a descendant of persons who were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribes of Indians at the time of the Treaty of 1835-36 and 1846? If so, please state what the evidence is, and send us the names and correct addresses of any witnesses who will testify to that effect.

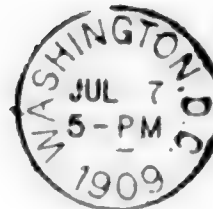
Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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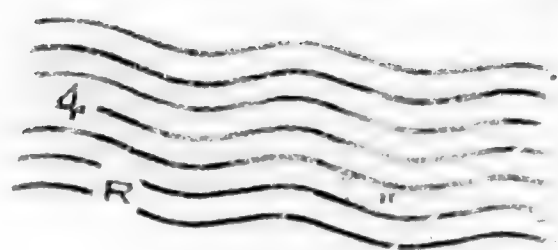
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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Sandy Lawson*

*Archie*

*N. Rex*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *34629*, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

*CHB*

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 31 1907
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Fanny Lawson,

~~Attest, M. M.~~

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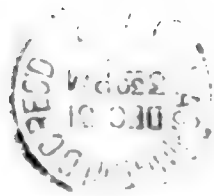
Tandy Lawson,

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No. 36700

Action: *Reject*

Name *Finis L. Moore* and — children. Residence: *Wape, New Mexico*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #551, and claims through the same ancestor*

No. 36780

Name Timis L. Moore

With No. 551

Remarks :

No. 20720

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Finnis L. Moore.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Finis L Moore*

Indian name:

*Same*

2. Residence and post office:

*Hope Eddy Co New Mex*

3. County:

*Eddy*

4. State:

*New Mexico*

5. How old are you?

*28*

Born

*Medonald Co Mo - 1878*

6. Where were you born?

*Medonald Co Missouri*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Janie Moore ne Muncy age 30*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None that I know of*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Mettie Lu Moore</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>1902</i>
(2)	<i>Ardie Belle Moore</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1904</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Abner Moore America Elizabeth Moore ne Hall*

Father—English name:

*Abner Moore*

Indian name:

*Same*

Mother—English name:

*America Elizabeth Moore ne Hall*

Indian name:

*Same*

Maiden name:

*America Elizabeth Hall*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*in Tennessee*

Mother:

*in Arkansas*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Tennessee

Mother: was not born till 1855

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in 1881

Mother: Still Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: None that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	RES.
(1)	Madora Start	1871	Living
	Mrs Moore		
(2)	George L Moore	1881	....
(3)	Elsie E Moore	1891	....
(4)	Una R Moore	1897	....
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Hopcy Moore	Alfred Hall. white man
Eli L. Moore	Mahala Lawson nee Hall
they lived in Tenn near McMinn they	
in 1857 he is white lived in Ark in 1857	

18. Where were they born? in Tenn. Alfred Hall in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Martin in Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Mary Stephens	Alfred Hall	Dead
(2)	Amelia Elizabeth	Moore nee Hall	Artesia N.M.
(3)	John L. Hall	Washburn	Mo R F D No 2
(4)	Fandy Lawson	Artesia	N.M.
(5)	Hele R. Roller	Mrs Lawson	Washburn Mo R F D
(6)	Edwin Lawson	Edna	Ind
	Ida Perkins	Lawson	Coweta D.T.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My mother, America E. Moore, nee Hall, who was a daughter of Mahala Lawson, nee Hall, nee Martin who was a daughter of Susan Martin, nee Wolf, who was a daughter of Dennis Wolf whose name appears on page 4 of the Eastern Emigration Roll of 1835 taken in Tennessee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Washington, D. C., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place, and stead, and agree to allow her a commission of 10%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Finis L. Moore

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

J. W. Martin

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 14, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

L. N. Muncy

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Finis L. Moore

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

\_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. N. Muncy

J. W. Muncy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 14, 1908. J. W. Martin

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36701

Action: Report

Name: *Miss Mary M. Lee* and 1 children. Residence: *Meriden, Conn.*

Reasons:

*son of a friend*

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No. 36701  
Name Peter L. Bleeker  
With No. 27114  
Remarks:

No. 315701

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Peter Lorange Bleeker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Peter Lorange Bleeker*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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AND BY  
KONAV ... IND TER.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Butler Lasange Bleeker

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Mill Sap

3. County:

Parker

4. State:

Texas

5. How old are you?

24

Born

April 27 - 1880

6. Where were you born?

Bull County Texas

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Jessie Ann Bleeker age 19

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Jewel A. Area	March 15	1907
(2)	Bleeker		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Henry Bleeker

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Nancy Casseline White

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Nancy Casseline Wharton

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Texas

Mother:

Arkansas



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died october 30 - 1891

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Hiram Edgar Bluekes	Jan 10 - 1882	Willcox Texas
(2) Searcy Ball Bluekes	Jan 19 - 1886	
(3) Martha Jane B. Bluekes	Mar 4 1887	
(4) John Henry Bluekes	Mar 4 1889	
(5) Lyddy White	Mar 6 1893	
William Mary White	Apr 3 1895	
(6) Mary Edtes White	Apr 6 1897	
Daniel White	May 6 1901	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Wharton	Martha Wharton
Bond Tennessee	Bond Tennessee
Pattee Bluekes	Jane Bluekes
Bond Germany	Bond Tennessee

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Bluekes Germany Wharton Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) James Andrew Wharton	Minersville Texas
(2) John Henry Wharton	Beagles Texas
(3) Rachel Jane Whitley	Died 22 June 1907
(4) Samuel Wharton	Died
(5) Nancy Caroline White	Willcox Texas
(6) Sarah Catherine Graybill	Died

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*of Sandy Menard, his mother the Indian name of Sandy Menard, she lived in L. & Co. Arkansas*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*my grand mother Martha Wharton was the daughter of one Sandy Whitley Cherokee Indian modern name Sandy Menard. my mother is the daughter Martha Wharton*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Witness to*  
*P. J. Harveth* (Signature) *Petter Lorange* *H. O. Blecher*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29* day of *June* 1907.

My commission expires

*Nov.*

*A. N. Canapax* and *Er. J. J. J. J.*  
Notary Public.  
in and for Parker County Texas

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. A. Lamb*  
and *G. W. Stroud*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Petter Lorange Blecher* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for *24* years and *12* years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. We represents him to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. A. Lamb*  
*G. W. Stroud*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29* day of *June*, 1907.

My commission expires

*Nov.*

*A. N. Canapax* and *Er. J. J. J. J.*  
Notary Public.  
in and for Parker County Texas

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practical, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it may be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Peter L. Blecker*  
*Millsap*  
*Texas*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Parker

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Petter Lorange Blecker  
for the county of Parker state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Millsap Texas

J. A. Lamb Petter Lorange Blecker  
S. W. Steward witnesses for mark Signature.  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Texas County of Parker B. A. Hunt Be it known on the 29 day of June 1907  
personally appeared Petter Lorange Blecker, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Nov 1908  
[L. S.] Clanada A. P. and Ex officio Notary  
Public in and for Parker county Texas

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of August 1907

My commission expires March 17th, 1909.



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Midvale Texas 11-1-1967  
Ginn Miller Supp Leamm  
Washington D C  
Dear Sir

in regard to application  
no 36701 Book no 7  
I will change my address to  
Singer Texas Bowie County  
Rt 1 no 1  
Yours Peter L Bleeker



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No. 36701

*Office  
Recd.*

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R.G. ...

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Action: 1000

Name

and

children.

Residence

Reasons:

Am. ...

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36702

Name

Mason E. Crow

With No.

Lizemore

Remarks:

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# **EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

OF

*Anderson L. Brown*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Ara J	4	Nov 13 1902
(2)	Rubik Lee	3	June 3 1904
(3)	Walter		Mar 21 1907
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

In Gwinnett Co Ga

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Still Living

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Minnie Puckett Flowers Branch	May 8 <sup>th</sup> 1875	
(2)	J. W. Puckett Atlanta Ga	apl 21 1878	
(3)	Lerie Puckett Atlanta Ga	apl 12 1880	
(4)	Uzgar Puckett Flowers Branch Ga	Feb 8 <sup>th</sup> 1885	
(5)	Bessie Puckett Flowers Branch Ga	July 18 <sup>th</sup> 1891	
(6)	Carla Puckett Flowers Branch Ga	apl 17 <sup>th</sup> 1894	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Samson Puckett	John. Barker
Eddie Puckett	Maggie Barker
No Indian Name	No Indian Name

18. Where were they born?

South Carolina I am not Va  
Gwinnett Co Ga & North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Gwinnett Co Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Carroll Gene them	
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

(Signature)

Mason C. Lesow  
J. A. Mooney  
Notary Public J. A. Mooney

My commission expires

Dec 10<sup>th</sup>, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. J. Cooper  
and W. S. Moon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mason C. Lesow  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

H. J. Cooper

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. J. Cooper  
W. S. Moon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

J. A. Mooney  
Notary Public J. A. Mooney

My commission expires

Dec 10<sup>th</sup>, 1908

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *Mason C. Crow*

*Buttord*

*Georgia*

*Hall County*

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FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Georgia

COUNTY OF Hall

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mason C Crow  
for the county of Gwinnett state of Georgia do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Buford

H. G. Cooper Sr  
W. S. Moon  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mason C. Crow  
Signature.

State of Georgia County of Hall Be it known on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared M. C. Crow, who after having read over to him

in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid no attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1908  
[L. S.]

J. A. Mooney NP-SP

And now to witness 20 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of Aug 1907

My commission expires Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1908

Appl. #3670F

May 7, 1948.

Wm. L. Crow,  
Inf., Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Survey, please state whether you, your parents or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or otherwise in the communities in which you and they have resided?

My mother's parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1887, and whose name is on the roll in 1894-1895, is living at that time. Where have your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1887-1895?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WLC



DEPT. OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
MAY 23 1908  
No. 1



Buford  
FLOWERY BRANCH, GA., MAY 190...

Mr Guion Miller  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:---

Yours Of the 7th Received and noted, will say inreply to the questions

First

My parrents never did resise with the Cherokee tribe no did my grand parents  
my parents and grand parents was recognized as white peopleDo not know why  
my parents was not enrobled in 1851,  
They resided in guinett county, in the State of Georgia in 1834-35,, Grand  
parents resided at the same place,

Any futher enfermation you may want on this write me na I will furnish you  
all that I can,

Your s Truly

Mason C. Crow

Address me at

Lawrenceville Ga.

R.F.L.#5

X 36752  
MCC

Misc.

Appl. 436708

Jason C. Crow being first duly sworn, deposes and says: I live at Lawrenceville, Ga. I was born in 1877 in Gwinnett Co., Ga. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my father and his mother. My father has filed an application for Gwinnett Co., Ga. and same is A. L. Gullett. He is somewhere between 30 and 40 years old. My grandfather's name was Lie Miller and he was married to Ellen Gullett. I think she was raised in Gwinnett Co., Ga. Grandfather Gullett's mother was a Silmore. ~~xxxxxx~~ I have heard the name Silmore. (Silmore) I think I have heard the name Silmore. I think the name of the Indian to whom my Indian blood was given was Silmore. I never heard of my father and his mother getting any money or lands from the Govt. on account of their Indian blood. In 1882 my father and mother lived in Gwinnett Co.

Jason C. Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908 at Lawrenceville, Ga.

Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

Appl. 41691

James H. Gullett being first duly sworn, deposes and says: My name is James H. Gullett. I live at Buford, Ga. I claim Cherokee Indian blood through my mother and her mother. My grand-mother's name was Melitha Silmore. Before she was married. I was born in 1846 in Gwinnett Co., Ga. My father's name was Henry Silmore. Captain Silmore was Melitha Silmore's brother. I have heard people speak of Melitha Silmore. My mother and her mother were recognized as white people, and lived with the white people. My mother was raised in amongst the Silmore family.

Jas. H. Gullett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1908 at Lawrenceville, Ga.

Asst. to Special Commissioner  
U. S. Court of Claims.

No. 36103.

Action: *Refect.*

Name *B. V. G. Smith,* and *X* children. Residence: *Calcutta, Ind.*

Reasons: *Wife of #36135*

No. 36703

Name Quena C. Anderson

With No. 31121

Remarks:

No. ....

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Buena Vista Anderson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: *Died Dec 31 1924*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *No*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Laura Belle Cunningham</i>	<i>1879</i>	
(2)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>1881</i>	
(3)	<i>William Cunningham</i>	<i>1883</i>	<i>Indian</i>
(4)	<i>Robert Cunningham</i>	<i>1885</i>	<i>Indian</i>
(5)	<i>Edith Cunningham</i>	<i>1885</i>	
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>John William Willey Smith</i>	<i>Robert Cunningham</i>
<i>Indian</i>	<i>Indian</i>

18. Where were they born? *Sumner, Iowa*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Sumner, Iowa*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>Sumner, Iowa</i>
(2)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>Sumner, Iowa</i>
(3)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>Sumner, Iowa</i>
(4)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>Sumner, Iowa</i>
(5)	<i>John Cunningham</i>	<i>Sumner, Iowa</i>
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Through my mother I have sold 4160  
acres of the Kan. Indian Reservation only  
What my mother told me

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Buena Vista Anderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

A. H. Hargis  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 26<sup>th</sup>, 1911

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. E. Tate.

and

J. J. Hutchinson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Buena Vista Anderson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 years and

3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Tate

J. J. Hutchinson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

A. H. Hargis  
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March 26<sup>th</sup>, 1911

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Buena Vista Anderson*

*Cardwell*

*Missouri*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Missouri  
COUNTY OF Dunklin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Burnavista Anderson  
for the county of Dunklin state of Missouri do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Leadwell, Mo

W. S. Smith  
Field  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Burnavista Anderson  
Signature.

State of Missouri County of Dunklin Be it known on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907  
personally appeared Burnavista Anderson, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid any attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Mar. 26<sup>th</sup> 1911  
[L. S.]

And now to witness 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of August 1907

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Recd. JUN 12 1908  
No. 36703



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COSTEN & SEDBERRY  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
CULBERHOUSE BLOCK

Lake City,  
~~London~~ Ark. June 21st, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Comm. C.C.

Washington City.

Dear Sir:

In respect to the claims of John N. Cunningham, Laura Belle Cunningham, Elmore Collier Cunningham, and Bura V. Anderson, which were filed for your determination and were rejected in your report to the Court of Claims on June 10th, 1909, we will appreciate it if you will state the defect ~~or~~ defects which you consider fatal to the validity of these claims so that whatever further information if this be lacking may be produced if it is possible to do so, and so that such ~~information~~ exceptions as can be sustained may be filed. We will appreciate this favor most gratefully. We also beg leave to ask if the name Smith as both Indian and English names will not suffice if there is trace of no other to the ancestor who lived in the year, 1835.

Thanking you for the favor,  
Claims Nos. 40600 and something. We are yours truly,  
Costen & Sedberry.

2. C. B.  
No. 36704. Action: *Reject.*  
Name *William Calvin Luther*, and 4 children. Residence: *Ferris, Texas.*  
Reasons: *Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. Does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 and 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe. Claims through Mother who was born in Indiana in 1832.*  
(Adj. by R. C. Black.)

No. 36704

Name W<sup>m</sup> C. Luther

With No.

Remarks:

*Replied*  
Claims this mother who was  
born in Indiana in 1832  
so that if Cherokee at all  
must be Old Sett.



No. 1001

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*William Calvin Luther*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

BY  
WILSON . CAGLE,  
CL.

1001

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: William Calvin Luther

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Paris Pr.

3. County: Ellis Co.

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 53 years Born Oct. 6, 1853

6. Where were you born? Isard Co. Arkansas

7. Are you married? I am

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Cynthia Lee 44 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee Tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>McLarni Lee</u>	<u>17 years</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>Edna May</u>	<u>15 years</u>	<u>1892</u>
(3)	<u>John Calvin</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>1895</u>
(4)	<u>Ware</u>	<u>9 years</u>	<u>1897</u>
(5)	<u>I have given the names of</u>		
(6)	<u>none but my unmarried minors</u>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James C. Madison Luther

Indian name: he had no Indian blood

Mother—English name: Lucinda Crofford Luther

Indian name: he had no Indian blood

Maiden name: Lucinda Crofford Ware

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Indiana

Mother: in Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Izard County Arkansas

Mother: Izard County Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: C. J. 1872

Mother: C. J. 1874

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: They were not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

- |     | NAME.   | BORN.              | DIED.                                    |
|-----|---|--------------------|--|
| (1) | George W. Van   | C. J. 1855         | living at<br>Gans W. S.                  |
| (2) | James C. Madison  | C. J. 1860         | I am sorry to<br>say that I can not give |
| (3) | Joel Edward   | Mountain View Ark. | the ages of these two of my<br>brothers  |
| (4) | Delpha Lucinda  | C. J. 1868         | I know not her residence                 |
| (5) | I have given the names of those only who<br>I think are living — There was 10 of us |                    |  |
| (6) |   |                    |  |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Their English names was Father I know not  
their Indian names — they had no Indian blood  
I know nothing of it

18. Where were they born? I know not

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? I don't think  
there was any of them living at that time

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- |     |           |                           |
|-----|-----------|---------------------------|
| (1) | Mat Thias | Lucy                      |
| (2) | Garkin    | Lucinda                   |
| (3) | Edward    | Lucinda was the youngest  |
| (4) | Joel      | she was my mother         |
| (5) | Delpha    | I think they are all dead |
| (6) | Clara     |                           |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Father James Madison Luther was borne in 1828 My Mother Lucinda Crofford Luther was borne in 1832

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

It is through my Mother and her Father that I have my Indian blood The full name of my grandfather on my Mothers side was Joel Varr

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Calvin Luther

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907

B. B. Beachford  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known

8 years, respectively, and know

to be, and that the statements made by

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1907.

B. B. Beachford  
Notary Public.

NOTE. -Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION

**Power of Attorney and  
Contract**

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For *William C. Luther*

*Harris*

*Texas*

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FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF

Texas

COUNTY OF

Ellis

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

William Calvin Luther

for the county of

Ellis

state of

Texas

do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioners' Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is

Terrell Texas

J. B. Bailey  
City Wilshire  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

William Calvin Luther  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Ellis. Be it known on the 5 day of Aug 1907

personally appeared William Calvin Luther, who after having read over to him in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid 2 attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires

5/30

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[L. S.]

O. B. Meacham

Notary Public Ellis County  
Texas

And now to witness 20 day of Aug 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 5 day of Aug 1907

My commission expires



No. 36705.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Thomas M. Stuart* <sup>and</sup> *X* children.

Residence: *922 N. California St.,  
Indianapolis, Ind.*

Reasons: *(Ancestors not all r. Does not establish  
genuine connection with Cherokee title.*

# 36705.

*Misc. test. P. 1896.*

36705

*Massachusetts Field*

No. *36705*

Name *Thos. M. Steward*

With No.

Remarks:

*Not an roll.*

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## APPLICATION

OF

Thomas M. Howard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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A. H. Hildner

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Thomas Mitchell Steward or Stewart

Indian name: Unknawn

2. Residence and post office: 422 N. California Street Indianapolis.

3. County: Marion

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 77 Born July 2, 1828

6. Where were you born? Adrian Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? Never

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John</u>		
(2)	<u>John</u>		
(3)	<u>John</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph Steward

Indian name: Unknawn

Mother—English name: Martha Steward

Indian name: Unknawn

Maiden name: Martha Steward

12. Where were they born?

Father: Adrian Co. Tennessee

Mother: Adrian Co. Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Agge W. Amundsen

Mother: Therese Amundsen

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Nov 1890

Mother: Nov 1890

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Agge</u>	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

_____	<u>Agge W. Amundsen</u>
_____	<u>Therese Amundsen</u>
_____	<u>Agge W. Amundsen</u>
_____	<u>Therese Amundsen</u>

18. Where were they born? Agge W. Amundsen

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*Nathan Steward, Elizabeth Steward, wife of Nathan Steward*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*From the land of the Shawnee Nation, Indian Territory, Oklahoma.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Nathan T. Ward*  
*Bert Deerp*

(Signature) *Nathan T. Ward*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22nd* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*Bert Deerp*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.  
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Nathan T. Ward*  
and *William H. Dixon*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Thomas M. Steward or Stewark*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and  
*30* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents  
*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.  
*Bert Deerp*  
*Steward*

Signatures of Witnesses.  
*Nathan T. Ward*  
*William H. Dixon*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22nd* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

\_\_\_\_\_, 190

*Bert Deerp*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of court, or before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary public.  
NOTARY PUBLIC,  
222 N. Meridian St., 3rd Floor,  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.  
My commission expires Nov. 9, 1908.



April. 736735

May 7, 1906.

Thomas W. Steward,  
992 E. California Street,  
Indianapolis, Ind.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether you,  
your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the  
Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Have you,  
your parents and grandparents recognized as white people.  
Indians as members in the community in which you and  
they have resided?

The way of the report through which you claim not en-  
rolled in 1891, and there are no of the nation in  
1906, if listed at that time. Have your grand-  
parents or did the United States you claim residing in  
1894-1906?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state  
whether slaves in Indian or white people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
*Rec.* MAY 11 1908  
No.

105  
C.H.S.

Indianapolis, Ind.,

May 9, 1908.

Hon. Guinn Miller,  
Washington D. C.  
Dear Sir:

I do not know  
whether my grandparents resided with  
the Cherokee tribe but they lived in  
Virginia, before 1835.

My parents and grandparents  
are recognized as Indians.

My mother was not ~~was~~ enrolled  
in 1857 because she did not know  
anything about it. My mother and  
grandparents came to Buford Co. Tenn.  
about 1834-1835.

They were never slaves.

Yours truly,

Thomas M. Stewart.

152 N. California St.

Thomas M. Stewart.

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Thomas M. Stewart being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 81 years old, and I live in Indianapolis, Ind. I was born in Benton County, Tenn. It is about the centre of the State. I left there in 1858 when I was a young man. Those who were free born there and had Indian blood in their veins, had no protection. I got my Indian blood through my mother, Matilda Stewart. She was never married. She was full blood, and I claim to be a half blood Cherokee Indian. I got my colored blood through my father. My mother was either born in Va. or in Tenn. If she was born in Tenn. it was in Bedford County. My grandmother's name on my mother's side was Elizabeth Stewart. Bartlett Stewart was my grandfather, and he was an Indian. They lived and died in Tenn. I am recognized in the community in which I live as a mixed blood.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th of Aug.  
1908, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Not to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

No. 35706

Action: *Accepted*

Name: *Walter J. Turner* and no children.

Residence: *Biggs, Bria-*

Reason: *He claims the father George Turner, David father Jackson Turner. His mother Lillian Turner - nee Eliza - of the same name married as Geo. Turner in 1885 to Geo. Turner. Geo. Turner #2.*

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No. 36706

Field

Area

Name Urie L. Tyner

With No. For Okmulgee

Remarks:

Not on roll,

See Roll 36706  
of 1911



No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mollie L. Tyner*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

3670

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: John M. Russell, as Guardian of Mollie L. Tyner,

Indian name: None,

2. Residence and post office: Beggs,

3. County: Okmulgee, (Creek Nation)

4. State: Indian Territory, (Oklahoma)

5. How old are you? 11. Born February 22nd 1896.

6. Where were you born? Cooweeskoowee District Cherokee Nation.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None.</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: George W. Tyner,

Indian name: none used.

Mother—English name: Mary Tyner.

Indian name: Mary Shaw. none.

Maiden name: Mary Shaw.

12. Where were they born?

Father: In present Cherokee Nation Talequah District.

Mother: Present Cherokee Nation Illinois District.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Preseny Cherokee Nation, District unknown.

Mother: Not living then.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 1907.

Mother: Feb 1896.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Father drew "strip funds in 1894. and his allotment.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Clinton A. Tyner,</u>	<u>about 28.</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		
(2)	<u>Clem Tyner</u>	<u>" " 24</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		
(3)	<u>John Tyner</u>	<u>26,</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		
(4)	<u>Ausin Tyner</u>	<u>19.</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		
(5)	<u>Fannie Tyner</u>	<u>17.</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		
(6)	<u>Annie Tyner 1/2 sister</u>	<u>9</u>	
	<u>Loetta; George Tyner 1/2</u>	<u>7 &amp; 4.</u>	
	<u>Ramona I.T.</u>		

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jackson Tyner

White not included.

Letticia Tyner ne Keys.

No Indian names.

18. Where were they born? East of the Mississippi River in old Cherokee N

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Present Cherokee Nation Saline District.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) George Tyner (Father)

(2) Elizabeth Tyner (Aunt)

(3) Reubin Tyner (uncle)

All dead.

(4) Lydia Rider ne Tyner

Dead.

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I was enrolled for my allotment only.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: We are unable to answer this question.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John M Russell as Guardian for Mollie L Tyner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1907.

John C Duncan  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 2nd, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Joanna Duncan,  
and Siola Tyner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mollie L. Tyner  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and  
7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Joanna Duncan  
Siola Tyner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 2nd

1911

John C Duncan  
Notary Public.

Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

April 11, 1906

May 7, 1906.

John M. Linnell, Esq.,  
Birmingham, Ala.

Sir:

Relative to the application filed by you on behalf of Lollie M. Syner for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, please state whether the parent and grandparents through whom the claims were transmitted are now living, Indian or nearness in the community in which they have resided. Did they ever reside with the Cherokee Nation? If so, please state when and where. Were they ever married? If so, please state when and where. If so, please state when and where they were married. If so, please state when and where they were married.

The application is controlled by the laws of the Cherokee Nation, and the laws of the Cherokee Nation are the laws of the Cherokee Nation.

Very respectfully,

John M. Linnell

CLL/AM



1. The first of these is the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary funds to carry out its policy of maintaining the value of the pound at its pre-war level. This has been due to a number of factors, including the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy.

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9. The ninth of these is the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy. This has been due to a number of factors, including the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy.

10. The tenth of these is the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy. This has been due to a number of factors, including the fact that the Government has been unable to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy.



Ochelata Oklahoma,  
May 15th 1903.

Hon Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,  
Washington D.C.

Your Communication addressed to Mr John M. Russell as Guardian at Beggs Okla' and No- "Appl. #36706." was today referred to me for proper answer, and I will therefore endeavor to do so.

The Grand Father of Mollie L. Vynar, thru whom she claims her right to the Eastern Cherokee funds is named George Tyner, and lived and died just about three mile south of this place (Ochelata). He was too young to be on the 1852. roll, but his father was enrolled on the 1852 roll. His father was named Reubin Tyner and is a Great Grand Father to the present applicant.

I am unable to give you the No. of the page he is enrolled on, but you will find his name in Tahlequah District, and I think you will find his sister Elizabeth enrolled with him as being of "Jack Vynar".

You will also find enrolled in Saline District Caty Tiner enrolled together with her family George, Sallie and Jessie. If I remember right they are on page 521. or 522.

Caty Tiner was the wife of a brother of Jack Tyner whose name was George, and he died before the 1852 Roll was made, is the reason his name does not appear on said roll.

This last statement as to the death of George Tyner (Caty's husband) is all from family record, but I had a personal acquaintance with the other George Tyner grand father to Mollie L. and I knew this to be the same family. They were all about half blood Cherokee. or not any less.

Respectfully,

John C. Duncan

No.		Action	
Name		and children.	Residence:
Reasons:			

No. 36707-08.

Name .....

With No. 22231.

Remarks:

Mythen A. S. Rush  
Anna Rush

No. 30717

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter C. Serat Rush*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Martina Ann Derat, by marriage Rush

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Atley

3. County: Amatulla

4. State: Oregon

5. How old are you? Fifty Six Born Nov 20" 1850

6. Where were you born? Cheney County Arkansas

7. Are you married? No Now Widow

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: John Rush. Age 54 years at time of Death

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Anna Rush</u>	<u>Thirty Seven</u>	<u>Nov 20" 1869</u>
(2)	<u>Edwin Rush</u>	<u>Thirty Three</u>	<u>Jan 9" 1874</u>
(3)	<u>Ida Rush, Keen</u>	<u>Thirty One</u>	<u>May 3" 1876</u>
(4)	<u>Harriet Rush, Simpson</u>	<u>Twenty Four</u>	<u>Aug 7" 1883</u>
(5)	<u>Alberta Rush</u>	<u>Fifteen</u>	<u>Jan 18, 1892</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Derat

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Nancy Ann Lane Derat

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy Ann Lane

12. Where were they born?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not known

Mother: Not known

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Killed in Civil war during 1862, Soldier in Union Army

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

Not Enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>George Desat</u>		<u>Dead</u>
	<u>Martin Desat</u>		
(2)	<u>Mahely Desat</u>		
	<u>Henry Desat</u>		<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>William Desat</u>	<u>20390</u>	
	<u>Calvin Desat</u>		<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Jeremiah Desat</u>		
	<u>Samuel Desat</u>		<u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Joseph Desat</u>	<u>3821</u>	
	<u>Bro. Steilwell J. T.</u>		
(6)	<u>Quincy Desat</u>		
	<u>Polly A. Desat</u>	<u>Born 1848</u>	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

July Desat

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Susannah Miller

18. Where were they born? Unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

Not Enrolled  
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....  
.....  
.....

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
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.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha A. Rush

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

A. J. Isaac  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Charles McAlary  
and B. D. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Martha A. Rush  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Cannon Chas McAlary  
B. D. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov, 1908. A. J. Isaac  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ children. Residence: \_\_\_\_\_ Action: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Anna Rush*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Dura Bush

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Arley

3. County: Matilla

4. State: Oregon

5. How old are you? Thirty seven Born Nov 20 1869

6. Where were you born? Crawford County Arkansas

7. Are you married? NO

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John Bush

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Ann Susat Bush

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha Ann Susat

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of Vermont

Mother: Crawford County Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 1893

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Edwin Rush</u>	<u>Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 1874</u>	
(2)	<u>Ida Rush</u> <u>Nor Kun</u>	<u>May 3, '876</u>	
(3)	<u>Harriet Rush</u> <u>Noro Simpson</u>	<u>Aug 7 1883</u>	
(4)	<u>Albin Rush</u>	<u>Jan 18 1892</u>	
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

	<u>John Perot</u>
	<u>Mary Ann Lane - Perot</u>

18. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>George Perot</u>	7	<u>Jeremiah Perot</u>
(2)	<u>Martin Perot</u>	8	<u>Samuel Perot</u>
(3)	<u>Mahaley Perot</u>	9	<u>Joseph Perot</u> <u>St. Louis I.</u>
(4)	<u>Henry Perot</u>	10	<u>Polly A Perot</u>
(5)	<u>William Perot</u>	11	<u>Nancy Perot</u>
(6)	<u>Calvin Perot</u>		<u>Martha Ann Perot, by Mary Ann Perot</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

Not Enrolled  
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Anna Rush

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug 1907.

J. L. Isaac  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Charles M. C. Lavery  
and L. D. Smith, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Anna Rush  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. C. Lavery Chas. M. C. Lavery  
L. D. Smith L. D. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Nov, 1907. J. L. Isaac  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 26709

Action: Reject,

Name: *Joe Clinton*

and *x* children.

Residence: *San Pier, Ohio*

Reasons:

*Charge of possession of stolen goods*  
*at San Pier, Ohio*

No. 36709, 11  
Name Jas E. Harmon  
With No. 35957  
Remarks:

No. 24713

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF,  
*James Edwin*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Edwin Lhaman

Indian name: Ford

2. Residence and post office: Paaldring Van Wert

3. County: Paaldring Van Wert

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 28 years Born February 22nd 1879

6. Where were you born? Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or ~~husband~~: Myrtle Lhaman 20 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Have no children</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abraham Lhaman

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Winifreda Beebe Lhaman

Indian name: Ford

Maiden name: Winifreda Beebe Lhaman Goodenow

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William Doniphan Lhaman	October 24th., 1866	35/31.
	Paulding, Ohio.		
(2)	Bertie Franklin Lhaman	January 30th., 1882	
	Ft Wayne, Ind.		
(3)	Minnie Olive Jacobs (Lhaman)	March 2nd., 1870	
	Lima, Ohio.		
(4)	Annie Florence Armstrong (Lhaman)	May 20th., 1870-Oct 13th 1906	
	Deceased.		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Goodman

Sarah Goodman

Indian name Good

18. Where were they born? Grand Father Ill. Grand Mother Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William Lhaman West. Union Ill

(2) Charles Lhaman Paulding Ohio

(3) Minnie Lhaman Ohio

(4) Laura Marcella Lhaman Dead 1866

(5) John Lhaman Wichita Kansas

(6) Louisa Lhaman Roller & Garden Grove Iowa

(7) Josephine Legumyck Goodman died 1861

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great Grand Father John Ford  
" " Mother Susan Ford  
" " Grand Father William Woodnow  
" " Mother Sarah Woodnow

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Edwin Lhaman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 1907.

O. H. Houart  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 9th., 1910.

Paulding County, Ohio.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me E. E. Craner

and G. F. Wistner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with James Edwin Lhaman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and

8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. E. Craner  
G. F. Wistner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 9th., 1910.

O. H. Houart  
Notary Public.  
Paulding County, Ohio.

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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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James Edwin Sherman,  
Van Wert,  
Ohio.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*James Edwin*  
*San Mark*  
*Ohio*  
Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 20709, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36710

Action: *Reject*

Name *Sarah Artis* and *S.* children. Residence: *Kalamazoo, Mich.*

Reasons: *Ancestors not as yet, - Does not establish  
genuine connection with Charles  
Artis - applicant born in Indiana in 1829.*

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Misc Test P. 1842

No. 36710

Name Sarah Artis

With No.

Remarks:

# 36711,  
grouped herewith.

hat on roll.

No. 30710

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah Artis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36710

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: Sara, Artis.

Indian name: None.

2. Residence and post office: London, Howard County, Indiana.

3. County: Howard

4. State: Indiana.

5. How old are you? 73 years Born December 4th 1829

6. Where were you born? Rockville, Parke County, Indiana.

7. Are you married? No, am a widow.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: No husband.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Marion L. Artis</u>	<u>Forty six years</u>	<u>August 2nd 1860.</u>
(2)	<u>Victoria. Artis</u>	<u>Forty-four years</u>	<u>August 10th 1862.</u>
(3)	<u>Eva. Artis.</u>	<u>Forty-one years</u>	<u>September 10th 1865</u>
(4)	<u>Andrew L. D. Artis.</u>	<u>Forty years</u>	<u>February 2nd 1867.</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah Artis.</u>	<u>Thirty six years.</u>	<u>Dec 3th 1869</u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

John. Artwood. Maria. Artwood. nee Shaler.

Father—English name: John. Artwood.

Indian name: Do not know.

Mother—English name: Maria. Artwood.

Indian name: Was a white woman.

Maiden name: Maria. Shaler.

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina.

Mother: Virginia.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Park County, Indiana.

Mother: Park County, Indiana.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died November 2<sup>nd</sup> 1869, aged about one hundred years.

Mother: Died August 1879

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Susan Holmes.</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	
	<u>Louisa Vaughn.</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	
(2)	<u>Elizabeth J. Artis</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date</u>
(3)	<u>Artha A. Artis</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date.</u>
(4)	<u>Elghmar H. Hartwood.</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date.</u>
(5)	<u>John W. Hartwood</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date.</u>
	<u>Margaret W. Hartwood.</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date.</u>
(6)	<u>Joseph A. W. Hartwood.</u>	<u>Do not know.</u>	<u>Cannot give date.</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

<u>Cannot give name.</u>	<u>Was a white woman.</u>

18. Where were they born? Suppose in North Carolina.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Not then living.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Hartwood. my father, Do not know where.</u>
(2)	<u>Father had no sister, Never knew her name.</u>
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Can not do so.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grand-father was reported to be an Indian doctor.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Sarah L. Artis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

Warren A. Woods

Notary Public.

My commission expires

11/22, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Nathan Pickett

and

John W. Cooper

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Sarah Artis

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 45 years and 40 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Nathan Pickett  
John W. Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

11/22, 1910.

Warren A. Woods

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appl. #36710

May 7, 1938.

Sarah A. A. A.,  
Kokomo, Ind.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Roll, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Was the agent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1901, and where you is or are residing in 1901-1902, if living at that time? Were there your grandparents on the roll through which you claim residing in 1901-1902?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, please state whether they or their ancestors were people.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CIB/AM

Sarah Artis.

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Sarah Artis being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 79 years old, and I live in Kokomo, Ind. I was born in Stark County, Ind. I claim Indian blood through my father, John Hartwood. My father was born in N.C. but I do not know in just what part of the State. He claimed to be a Cherokee Indian. He was 100 years old at the time of his death. He came here from N.C. before I was born. I never heard my father talk very much about his Indian life down in N.C. He was about a 1/2 blood. There were no slave ancestry in my family.

Sarah Artis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Apr. 1903, at Kokomo, Ind.

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Not. to Special Commissioner.  
Court of Claims.

Old settler?

Yes





6710

To the Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims, Eastern  
Cherokee Enrollment.

In The Matter of the Application of Sarah Artis to participate  
in the Aforesaid Cherokee Fund, in answer to the communication of said  
commissioner dated May 7th, 1908, respectfully states:-

That she nor her parents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe.  
As to whether her grand parents ever resided with such tribe--being the  
parents of her father through whom she believes she ~~might~~ be eligible  
to so participate--died in the State of North Carolina when her fa-  
ther was a small child. Her said father died about forty years ago at  
the age of near one hundred years. By reason of the laps of time and  
imperfect family history she is unable to give more definite information  
as to her said grandparents.

That her father, John Hartwood, familiarly known as "Jack"  
Hartwood, was recognized in the community in which he lived as negro.  
His color was of a <sup>d</sup>reish-brown cast. His hair was black and almost  
straight. He had high cheek bones and medium thin lips. His carriage  
was erect.

In 1851 her said father resided at Rockville, Indiana, at  
which place he also resided in 1834-1835, and where her parents were  
married in about 1828. Neither her parents or grandparents were slaves.

Sarah <sup>her</sup> Artis  
witness

State of Indiana, Howard County, SS:

Sarah Artis being duly sworn upon her oath says that this  
statement to which she has signed her name is true as she verily be-  
lieves.

My commission expires Feb. 5th., 1912.

J. R. Cooper  
Notary Public.



No 36 711.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Susan Holmes,* and *X* children.

Residence: *Frankford, Ind.*

Reasons: *Sister of - 36 710.*

No. 36711

Name Susan Holmes

With No. 36710

Remarks:

No. 30711

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

Susan Holmes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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36711

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Susan Holmes*

Indian name:

*none*

2. Residence and post office;

*Frankfort*

3. County:

*Clinton*

4. State:

*Indiana*

5. How old are you?

*64*

Born

*Feb. 3, 1843*

6. Where were you born?

*Rockville, Park Co., Indiana*

7. Are you married?

*Widow. Divorced about 18 yrs. ago in Frankfort, Ind.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Bright Holmes 78 yrs.*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>William Holmes</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>April 25, 1867</i>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Hartwood (commonly known as Dr. Jack Hartwood)*

Indian name:

*Don't know*

Mother—English name:

*Penina Hartwood*

Indian name:

*(Was a white woman)*

Maiden name:

*Penina Thayer*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*North Carolina*

Mother:

*Virginia*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Parke County, Indiana

Mother: Parke County, Indiana

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died November —, 1869, aged about 100 yrs.

Mother: died August —, 1879. Buried Aug. 30, 1879

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph Hartwood	— — 1845	{ Buried Nov. 21, 1897 at Kokomo, Indiana
	John William Hartwood	— — 1843	{ died 898 Buried at Greencastle, Ind.
(2)	Pilgrimage Howard Hartwood	— — 1841	{ Don't know Buried at Bloomington, Ind.
(3)	Sarah Artis	Dec. 11, 1829	Living at Kokomo, Ind.
	Elizabeth J. Artis	— — 1832	{ May 7, 1873
(4)	Martha Ann Artis	— — 1834	died in Canada
	Louisa Vaughn	— — 1847	Living at Rockville, Ind.
(5)	Margaret Frances Hartwood	— — 1849	about 1872
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Don't know { White  
Indiana

Charles Shaper { White  
Shaper { Indiana  
Don't know

18. Where were they born? Think in North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

Not living

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) John Hartwood, my father. not living  
(2) Elmer Hartwood, my father's sister. Not know residence of  
(3) George Shaper, dead in Virginia. { near  
(4) John Shaper, — — — — — { Spring  
(5) William Shaper — — — — — { Spring  
(6) Callie Shaper dead in Virginia { Spring  
(7) Betsey Shaper — — — — — { Spring  
(8) Penitia Hartwood (ne Shaper) died 2 1897, Buried in Kokomo, Ind.  
Aug 30, 1897.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*No*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *John Hartwood and Penina Hartwood. Don't know Indian names. Charles Shaper and Shaper Don't know Indian names. Don't know grandparents on father's side. But he was an Indian doctor.*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I was born on Gen. Pilghman A. Howard's farm in Parke County, Indiana. So was my brother Pilghman Howard Hartwood also born there:—being named after Gen. Howard.*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Susan Holmes* X

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *Aug.* 1907.

*E. A. Guber*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*Sept. 11,* 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Amy C. Shudson*  
and *Guy D. Smith*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Susan Holmes*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *15* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Amy C. Shudson*  
*Guy D. Smith*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *12* day of *Aug.* 1907.

My commission expires

*Sept. 11,* 1907.

*E. A. Guber*  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES.	
Rec.	NOV 3 1909
No.	36711

Frankfort Ind  
Nov 1-09

Dear Sir: -

Have received a card, Sept. 9 - 1907 stating that my application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Drawing - application No. 36711 had been received and placed in order as to number of application.

Not having heard any more about it would consider it a great favor if you will please look the matter up & let me know

As to whether my card was  
lucky as to receiving a plain  
Thanking you for all  
favors & hoping to receive an  
early reply

Yours remain

Sincerely

Mrs Susan H Oliver  
Frankfort  
Indiana

App. No. 36711.

November 8, 1909.

Mrs. Susan Holmes,  
Frankfort,  
Indiana.

Madam:

Replying to your letter of November 1, 1909, you are advised that your claim has been reported as rejected, and you were so notified on June 10, 1909. A duplicate notice is inclosed, herewith.

The time for filing exceptions to my report has been extended to November 15, 1909.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

1 inclosure.

No. 36712.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Worah Satterfield* and 5 children. Residence: *Mumfley, Tenn.*

Reasons:

1. *he ancestor was ever enrolled.*
2. *" " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.*
3. *Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.*

#36712.

No. 36712

Name *Thomas Satterfield*

With No.

Remarks:

*Not an roll*

No. 00012

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Narah Satterfield*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
*att'y*

*Dickson*  
*Tenn.*

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

*Narah Satterfield*

English name: *'' '' ''*

Indian name: *'' '' ''*

2. Residence and post office: *Wm. Miller*

3. County: *Dickman*

4. State: *Tennessee*

5. How old are you? *37*

Born *Aug. 15 1870*

6. Where were you born? *Franklin Tennessee*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Dan Satterfield*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Ernest Satterfield</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>May 13 1889</i>
(2)	<i>Carson Satterfield</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>Sept. 5 1891</i>
(3)	<i>Bessie Satterfield</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Aug. 31 1901</i>
(4)	<i>Noble Satterfield</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>Dec. 17 1906</i>
(5)	<i>Edwin Emory Satterfield</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>Dec. 31 1903</i>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Guss Carson*

Indian name: *'' '' ''*

Mother—English name: *Bettie Carson*

Indian name: *'' '' ''*

Maiden name: *Bettie Closton*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Williamson Co. Tenn.*

Mother: *Williamson Co. Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Joe A Carson	1863	June 1
	Nashville Tenn.		
(2)	Ann Church	Unknown	11
	Franklin Tenn.		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Unknown	Unknown
Unknown	Oliver Clouston
11	11
11	11

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

Guss Carson	dead
Betty Carson	11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father Guss Carson was an Eastern Cherokee Indian

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nora Satterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

W. B. Boyte

Notary Public.

My commission expires

10/10, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Dan Hassell  
and Mathias Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Nora Satterfield  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 27 years and  
27 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Hina Johnson

Nora Satterfield

Hina Johnson

Mathias Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

10/10, 1908

W. B. Boyte

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Am. 1. 136712

May 7, 1938.

Norm Satterfield,  
Rt. 1, Wm. Penn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as citizens, Indians or heretofore in the communities in which you and they have resided?

My father's parent through whom you claim not to have been a citizen, and were he to be the residing in the State of Virginia at that time. Where were your grandparents on the line through which you claim residing in 1845-50?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, please state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Yours respectfully,

Special Court Officer

CC/UB



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
JUL 23 1908  
No. 3672.

Mr. Harold H. Ketron

Dear Sir;

I received your letter this morning and as it is impossible to be in Centerville tonight I would write you about my ancestors and see what you could do for me.

My mother's mother was a Mollie Glasgow, my mother's father was a white man, my father's mother was a Scotch Irish, and my

father's father was a  
Cherokee.

I would be very much  
obliged if you would  
follow up my claims  
and as long as I can't  
be in Centerville - I  
would like very much  
for you to come to  
Nashville if possible,  
in case you do come  
I am at 1817 West  
End Ave -

Hoping to hear  
from you soon in regard  
to the

I am respectfully  
Yours Satterfield



No. 36 713.

Action: *Repect.*

Name *Marcus Ceruth* and 1 children. Residence: *Warrinellay Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claim through the same source  
as # 36 567.*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Darcus Coruthers*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
*att'y*

*Dickson*  
*Tenn.*

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## Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Winnifred Whiskey	July 16, 1870	Severey
(2)	Winnifred	1854	" "
(3)	Winnifred		
(4)	Winnifred		
(5)	Winnifred		
(6)	Winnifred		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Winnifred	Richard Hassell
	Dorcas Hassell

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dickerson

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	George Satterfield	Winnifred
(2)	Winnifred Satterfield	dead
(3)	Winnifred Satterfield	Dickerson
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Grand mother and Grand Father Richard and Darcas Hassell were Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Darcus Caruthers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Sept, 1907.

W B Boyle

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Daniel Hassell

and Emmet Satterfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Darcus Caruthers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Simon Johnson

Wan Hassell

Simon Johnson

Emmet Satterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Sept, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr, 1910. W B Boyle

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36 714,

Action: *Repet.*

Name *Winnick Hamel*, and *X* children. Residence: *Goethick Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Claim through the same source*

*in # 36 567*

*36 714*



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*David H. Hassell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*H. C. Richardson*  
*att'y*

*Dickson*  
*Tennessee*

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SIR:

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

English name: .....

Indian name: 11-2-2011

2. Residence and post office: 44000 CH

3. County: Deerfield

4. State: Mississippi

5. How old are you? 16 Born 2001

6. Where were you born? Hickman Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? Have been, my wife died

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Adeline Hassell

q. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?       

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: .....

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Evelling Perry	31	1876
(2)	William Hassell	24	1883
(3)	Daniel Hassell	37	1870
(4)	Richard Hassell	43	1864
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: .....

Father—English name: Richard Hassell

Indian name: L L

Mother—English name: Darke Hassell

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: Darkes Hassell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hickman Co. Tennessee

Mother: Hickman Co. Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Vicie Saterfeld Dickmuth	84	Living
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hickman Co. Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Richard Hassell	Dead
(2)	Darby Hassell	Dead
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mukrow

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father Richard Hassell was an Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Daniel Hassell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

W. B. Boyte

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April

1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Dan Saterfield

and

Emmer Saterfield

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Daniel Hassell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and

60

years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Kinas Johnson

Dan Saterfield

Kinas Johnson

Emmer Saterfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

April

1910

W. B. Boyte

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36715

Action: *Reject*

Name *Minnie L. Doble* and *X* children. Residence: *Fla. Texas.*

Reasons:

*Sister of # 34648 and claims through the same source.*

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No 36715-

Name *Miner & Doff*

With No. 34648

Remarks:



No. 00715

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Minnie L. Dobbie*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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~~SH. BY~~  
~~EDERSON . CAGLE,~~  
~~CLERK~~  
~~IND.~~

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? 1 Born 1889

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John D. 21/21/18

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wm. Smith

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Smith

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born? Tenn

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: June the 15 - 1895 -

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Luther Smith 31	1849	1898
(2)	James Frank Smith 27	1871	1898
(3)	Oliver Smith 25	1873	1898
(4)	Alfred Smith 22	1876	1898
(5)	Edith Smith 20	1878	1898
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Smith	William Smith
Patience Smith	Martha Smith
	Shary Ann Smith

18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William Noah Smith Fls Tenn
(2)	George Smith Pikeville Tenn
(3)	Henry Jackson Smith Dyer Tenn
(4)	Samuel Thomas Smith Lu Tenn
(5)	Sarah Deborah Bell Tenn
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: James L. Dobbie  
James L. Dobbie

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Minnie L. Dobbie

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

E. M. Noelle  
Justice of the Peace

Notary Public.

My commission expires

In November, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Shelby Cook

and

W. E. Corbett

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Miss Minnie L. Dobbie

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for Six months

1 month years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. E. Corbett

Shelby Cook

and

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 1907.

My commission expires

In November 1908 190

E. M. Noelle  
Justice of the Peace

Notary Public.

NOTE. - Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

App. #36715.

October 21, 1907.

B. F. Barnes, Postmaster,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Replying to the attached communication from you, dated October 10, 1907, you are advised that the Money Order referred to was forwarded to this office by Minnie L. Dobbs, of Alto, Texas, in payment of filing fees which she supposed she would have to pay, but as there were no filing fees the Money Order was returned to her on August 28, 1907.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

If not called for in 15 days, return to  
U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,  
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICIAL ENVELOPE

Any person using this envelope to avoid the  
payment of postage on private matter of  
any kind, will be subject to a fine of  
Three Hundred Dollars.

UNCLAIMED

Minnie L. Dobbs,

Fla.,

Texas.

RETURN TO WRITER

*Ord to*

*Buffalo*

*R.F.D. 7.*

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Minnie S. Nobler*

*Fl. 2  
Texas*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 26715, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

App.--

August 28, 1907.

Minnie L. Dobbs,

Alto,

Texas.

Madam:-

Your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund has been received and filed in this office.

Attached to your application we found the inclosed money order for \$2.50; presumably for filing fees.

The money order is returned, herewith, and you are advised that there are no charges for filing and considering your application.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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No. 36716.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Adeline Gresham*, and — children.

Residence:

*21 Baker Street,  
Atlanta, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Applicant and her Mother were slaves.*

# 36716.

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No 36716

Name *Adeline Greenham*

With No.

Remarks:

# 36717, 41956-41958  
grouped together.

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Adeline Gresham*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED  
S. H. H. H. H. H.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Adeline Gresham

Indian name:

Turner

2. Residence and post office:

21 Baker St. Atlanta

3. County:

Fulton

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

64 years

Born

Jan. 1842

6. Where were you born?

Marsus Guinnett Co. Ga

7. Are you married?

Widow

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Joshua Gresham, deceased

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	John M. Gresham	4 years	May-1862
(2)	Dora Gresham	1 year	June 26-1866
(3)	Mallie Gresham	39 years	Apr. 1868
(4)	Len Looper		
(5)	Don't know whether she is living or dead		about 1861
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Joe Turner

Indian name:

Indian Joe

Mother—English name:

Minnie Turner

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Duncan- Slave name

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Fulton, Co. Ga. or what is now so known

Mother:

" " " " " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Milton, Co. Ga

Mother: Milton, Co. Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1859

Mother: " 1889

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Annie Ryals</u>	<u>about 1845</u>	
	<u>Richard Dill</u>	<u>" 1847-</u>	
(2)	<u>Thomas Dymean</u>	<u>" 1849</u>	
	<u>Gilda Johnson</u>	<u>" 1851</u>	
(3)	<u>Newton Dymean</u>		<u>about 1903</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Turner  
Indian Turner  
Don't remember name  
she died before I was born

Joe Harris-  
Harris Slave name  
Polly Harris

18. Where were they born? Indian Turner - South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Died before this time  
to best of my information

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) No children other than my father  
(2) Joe Harris, the I ever heard of.  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_  
(4) \_\_\_\_\_  
(5) \_\_\_\_\_  
(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Adeline + Gresham

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

Thos. E. Latimer

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 1904

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

D. C. Cole

and

John D. Simpson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Adeline Gresham

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

C. E. Daniell,

Elb Anderson

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. C. Cole

John D. Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1909

Thos. E. Latimer

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service. It need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36717.  
Name *Dora Collier,* and *2* children. Residence: *214 Vine Street,*  
*Atlanta, Ga.,* Action: *Reject.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 36716, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 36717.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Dora Collier,* and *2* children. Residence: *214 Vine Street,*  
Reasons: *Atlanta, Ga.*

*Daughter of # 36716, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 36717

Name Diana

With No. 36718

Remarks:



*Eastern Cherokee*

No. 11

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

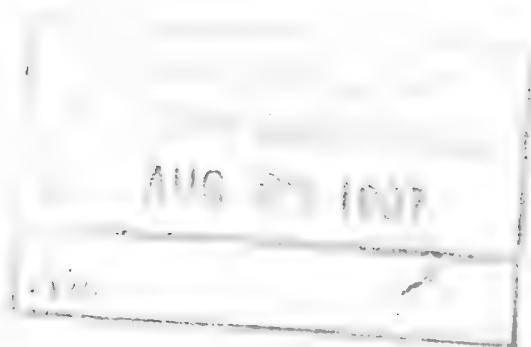
APPLICATION

OF

*Dora Collier*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me <sup>and my minor children</sup> of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Dora Collier

Indian name: Turner

2. Residence and post office: 214 Pine St. Atlanta

3. County: Fulton

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 41 years Born June 26th 1866

6. Where were you born? Marsaw- Gwinnett Co., Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes 1st Leroy Waters-

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Collier-42 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mollie Collier</u>	<u>23 years</u>	<u>Feb. 29th 1884</u>
(2)	<u>Joshua Waters</u>	<u>19 years</u>	<u>Apr. 14-1888</u>
(3)	<u>Marie Waters</u>	<u>15 years</u>	<u>Dec. 23-1891</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joshua Graham

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mollie Graham

Indian name: Turner

Maiden name: Turner—Graham slave name

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Gwinnett Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Milton Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: July 1895

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Annie Gresham	1857	1872
	Gin Gresham		about 1882
(2)	John Morgan Gresham	1861-	
	John Morgan Gresham	1862-	
(3)	Frankie Gresham	1864-	1864
(4)	Mollie Simmons		
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

My father's people  
lived in Kentucky  
and never came  
to this country

MOTHER'S SIDE.

For Turner  
called Indian for  
Annie Turner

18. Where were they born? Milton Co. Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Milton, Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Annie Bryant - Lawrenceville, Ga
- (2) Richard Bryant - Don't know
- (3) Thomas Bryant - Don't know
- (4) Lida Johnson - Runnison, Ga.
- (5) Newton Duneau - Orad
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great Grand Parent was called Indian Turner, and was a free blood Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Dora Collier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

Thos. E. Latimer  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2nd, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. C. Cole  
and John D. Simpson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Dora Collier  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

C. E. Daniell  
E. B. Anderson

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. C. Cole  
John D. Simpson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 2nd, 1909. Thos. E. Latimer  
Notary Public.

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		No. 2		Action:	
Name		and	children.	Residence:	
Reasons:					

No.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

*With No.*

Remarks:

James H. Jones



No. 2151

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lona Jewell*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Tom Jewell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Wichita, La. R.F.D.

3. County: Oglethorpe

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 79 years Born Sept 20 - 1828

6. Where were you born? Oglethorpe Co. Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Louise Jewell, 78 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Sindy Britton</u>	<u>48 years</u>	<u>April 10 - 1859</u>
(2)	<u>Sylvia Britton</u>	<u>47 years</u>	<u>May 20 - 1860</u>
(3)	<u>James Hunter</u>	<u>45 years</u>	<u>June 25 - 1862</u>
(4)	<u>Normie Ballin</u>	<u>26 years</u>	<u>Aug 10<sup>th</sup> - 1882</u>
(5)	<u>Wade Jewell</u>	<u>43 years</u>	<u>Sept 5<sup>th</sup> - 1864</u>
(6)	<u>Willam Jewell</u>	<u>39 years</u>	<u>Nov 15 - 1868</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Berry Jewell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Sindy Jewell

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Bell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1880

Mother: Died 1880

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Hannie Jewell, Bainbridge Ga.	About 1826	
	Steve Jewell, Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	About 1824	
(2)	Chas. Jewell, Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	about 1822	
	Thos. Jewell, Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	about 1818	
(3)	Amie Jewell, Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	1816	
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Sam Jewell	Squire Bell
Shane	
Amie Jewell	Willie Bell

18. Where were they born? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Shepherd Jewell and
(2)	Tom Jewell and
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Mo.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents: Berry & Sindy Jewell, Grandparents: Sam & Annie Jewell, whose real name was Sam Shaker & Annie Shaker; Sam Shaker was one half Indian and Annie Shaker his wife was a full blooded Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for an any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Tom Jewell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

W. C. Barron

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. G. Hester

and

William Stewart

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Tom Jewell

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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1907.

W. C. Barron

Notary Public.

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No.

Action:

Name

and

children.

Residence:

Reasons:

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*David Hunter*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Simon Hunter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Waynesboro, Ga.

3. County: Wilkes

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 30 years Born Nov-24-1877

6. Where were you born? Wilkes Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Simon Hunter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Lucy Hunter

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Scott

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wilkes Co. Ga.

Mother: Wilkes Co. Ga.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Thomas Hunter	July 4 - 1874	
	Oliver Hunter	May 7 - 1879	
(2)	Arthur Hunter	Oct - 1882	
	Sebastian Hunter	January - 1883	
(3)	Charlie Hunter	Nov - 1886	
	Berry Hunter	April - 1888	
(4)	Minnie Hunter	May - 1892	
	Jim Hunter	March - 1896	
(5)	Sylvia Hunter	January - 1897	
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Lee Hunter

Tommy Juncos

McGee

Ruth Hunter

Kathryn Juncos

Ware

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

Gene Juncos

Sue Ellen Bracken

Berry Juncos - Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

William Juncos

Minnie Juncos

Jim Hunter - Ga.

Gene Hunter - Ga.

Edna Hunter - Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Edna Hunter - Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Arthur Hunter - Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Sylvia Hunter - Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: M.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Simon & Jane Hunter  
Grand parents Peo & Billa Hunter: Great-grand parents  
George & William & Mary McGary, who were Eastern Cherokee  
Indians.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Hayes Hunter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

Chas De Putron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. G. Lester

and William Stuart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Hayes Hunter

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. G. Lester

William Stuart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

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Chas De Putron

Notary Public.

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#36720

No. 36720.

Action: *Reject*

Name  
Reasons:

*John Henry Eades, and — children.*

Residence:

*Point Peter, Ga.  
R. F. No. 1*

*Applicant or ancestors were never enrolled. It does not appear that they were living within the limits of the Cherokee Domain in 1835-6 & 1846, as recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear that they ever lived with the Cherokees as recognized members of the tribe.*

*(Ady by me 1846)*

36720

No 36720

Name John H. Cader

With No.

Remarks: No. 36721,  
38249, 38250, 41914,  
grouped beneath.

Not on roll.

Letter sent.  
July 31, 1908



No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Henry Eades*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. De PUTRON,

*Attorney at Law*

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name:  
English name: John Henry Eader  
Indian name: Sarrow
2. Residence and post office: Point Baited P. O. Ga.
3. County: Oglethorpe
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 42 years Born Feb. 4 - 1865
6. Where were you born? Oglethorpe
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Viola Eader
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Rainey Eader  
Indian name: Sarrow

Mother—English name: Sarah Ann Eader  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Oglethorpe County Ga.  
Mother: Madison County Ga.



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe County Ga

Mother: Oglethorpe County Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead in the year 1881

Mother: Dead in the year 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elizabeth P. Eader	Feb. 24-1848	1898
	Outer M. Eader	June-27-1852	1880
(2)	Eliza Jane Eader	Mar.-16-1854	1886
(3)	Mary F. Mathews	July-9-1856	
(4)	Sarah A. Eader	Jan. 25-1860	
(5)	America Vaughn	Apr. 7-1862	
(6)	Ruben Taylor Eader	July-22-1880	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Ruben Eader

Pitsey Eader  
Lucas

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Eller David

Betsy David

18. Where were they born? Eller is Oglethorpe Co. Ga. in State of Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Oglethorpe Co. Ga. if living at that time but I am under the impression that they were dead then

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Raimy Eader	Dead
(2)	John Eader	Dead
(3)	Ponty Wood	Dead
(4)	Emily Vaughn	Dead
(5)	Polly Eader	Dead
(6)	Clarice Johnson	Dead

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents, Rainey and Sarah Ann Eader; Grand Parents, Reuben and Betsey Eader; Great Grand Parents, William Sugger, who was of Eastern Indian Cherokee ancestry.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive an receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Henry Eader

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of Aug, 1907.

W. H. Murray

Notary Public.

My commission expires

4th, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

T. G. Lester

and

William Stewart

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Henry Eader

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

T. G. Lester

William Stewart

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4th, 1907.

W. H. Murray

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April 16, 1908

May 7, 1908.

John L. Jones  
P. O. Box 1  
New York, N. Y.

Sir:

Referring to your application for verification in the Eastern Cherokee case, please advise whether you, your parents or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, State when and where. Were you, your parents and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

How was the parent through whom you claim descent excluded in 1856, and where was he or she residing in 1856? If living at that time? Were you ever made a citizen of the United States? What year?

If your parents or grandparents were colored, state whether slave or Indian or negro.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

W. H. C.

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No. 36721.

Name *Reuben Taylor Eades,* and — children. Action: *Reject.*  
Reasons: Residence: *Point Peter, Ga.*  
*R.F.D. No. 1.*

*Brother of # 36720, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

36721



No. 34921  
Name John E. Eades  
With No. 34925.  
Remarks:



No. 310042

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF  
*Reuben Taylor Eades*

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For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DePUTRON,

Attorney at Law

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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No. 7115-01

EASTERN CHEROKEES,

APPLICATION

OF  
*Reuben Taylor Eades*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DePUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Reuben Taylor Eader*

Indian name:

*Serron*

2. Residence and post office:

*Point Peter Ga. R. F. D. No. 1.*

3. County:

*Oglethorpe County Ga.*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*57*

Born

*July 22, 1850*

6. Where were you born?

*Oglethorpe County Ga.*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Bernina Jane Eader 62 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

*None*

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Rainey Eader*

Indian name:

*Serron*

Mother—English name:

*Sarah Ann Eader*

Indian name:

*David*

Maiden name:

*David*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Oglethorpe County Ga.*

Mother:

*Madison County Ga.*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe County Ga.  
Mother: Oglethorpe County Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in the year 1881  
Mother: Died in the 1883

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elizabeth P. Eades	Dec. 24-1848	1898
	Peter M. Eades	June 27-1852	1850
(2)	Elisafane Eades	Mar. 16-1854	1856
(3)	Mary F. Mathews	July 4-1854	
(4)	Sarah A. Eades	Jan. 28-1860	1901
(5)	Annice Vaughn	Apr. 7-1862	
(6)	John H. Eades	Feb. 4-1865	

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Reuben Eades</u>	<u>Peter Davis</u>
<u>Lucas</u>	
<u>Pitsey Eades</u>	
<u>Lucas</u>	

18. Where were they born? Either in Oglethorpe Co. Ga. or the State of Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.  
if living then, & am under the impression they were at that time

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Rainey Eades</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(2)	<u>John Eades</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Pitsey Woods</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Emily Vaughn</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Polly Grier</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(6)	<u>Charles Johnson</u>	<u>Dead</u>



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents, Rainy and

Sarah Ann Eades; Grand Parents  
Reuben Eades and Betsey Eades; Great  
Grand Parents William Sorrow, who was of Eastern Cherokee  
Indian ancestry. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the  
prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for  
any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Reuben Taylor Eades  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Sept, 1907.  
[Signature]  
Notary Public

My commission expires July, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. G. Lester  
and William Stewart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Reuben Taylor Eades  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires July, 190

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36722

Action: *Excluded*

Name *Lemmie Flynn* and *2* children. Residence: *Apparatus Co.*  
*1870. #5-*

Reasons:

*Plaintiff or ancestor were never enrolled  
and it appears that they were living within  
the limits of the Cherokee Nation in 1870-71, 1872 as  
recognized members of the tribe and it appears  
that they never lived with the Cherokees as recognized  
members of the tribe.*

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No. 36722

Name Clemmie Filgus

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 41-2

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Clennie Flynn*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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W. W. PUTRON,  
CLERK,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due <sup>and my minor children</sup> me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Glennie Flynn  
Indian name: Booker  
2. Residence and post office: Alpharetta-R.F.D. 5-  
3. County: Milton  
4. State: Georgia  
5. How old are you? 26 years Born May-14-1879  
6. Where were you born? Dawson Co, Ga.  
7. Are you married? yes  
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Frank Flynn  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Robert Flynn</u>	<u>5 years</u>	<u>July 21-1902</u>
(2)	<u>Eileen Flynn</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>March 12-1905</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert Booker  
Indian name: Booker  
Mother—English name: Francis Booker  
Indian name: Swafford  
Maiden name: Swafford

12. Where were they born?  
Father: Lumpkin, Co Ga  
Mother: North Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lumpkin Co, Ga

Mother: North living

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Philip Booker</u>	<u>about 1862</u>	
	<u>Martha Booker</u>	<u>" 1863</u>	
(2)	<u>Emory Booker</u>	<u>1865</u>	
	<u>Florida Booker</u>		<u>1909</u>
(3)	<u>Calista Flynn</u>	<u>1880</u>	
	<u>Albert Booker</u>	<u>1892</u>	
(4)	<u>Jim Booker</u>		<u>about 1897</u>
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Philip Booker Philip Booker  
Martha Booker Martha Booker  
Emory Booker Emory Booker

18. Where were they born? Lumpkin Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lumpkin Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Philip Booker</u>	
(2)	<u>Martha Booker</u>	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Thos E. Putron

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Aug 1907.

Thos E. Putron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 2nd, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John Flynn  
and Mary Flynn who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Thos E. Putron  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and  
10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in 2nd claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Deane  
J. H. Douglas

John Flynn  
Mary Flynn

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My commission expires

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Thos E. Putron  
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Relative to your application for certification  
in the District of Columbia, please state whether you,  
your spouse, or grandparents ever resided with the  
applicant. If so, state when and where. Were you,  
your spouse, or grandparents ever arrested as White Citizens,  
League members in the community in which you and  
your spouse resided?

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... in 1971, and ... the ... in ...  
... at that time ... were ...  
... the ... which you ... in ...

It took 2 years to successfully place 100% of these  
better students in 4th or 5th grade.

Says Robert C. Orr,

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 21 1908  
No. 36722

Septonia, Ga

July 15. '88

Union Miller.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt  
of your motion, which was to  
have Fred S. Ryan at Marietta,  
July 6, but circumstances  
prevented me from going.  
Will you please notify me  
where and where the next

place of meeting will be.  
If it so that I cannot appear  
in person, would it be right  
to have the Justice of Peace to  
send in an affidavit.

Please advise me if this will  
be sufficient.

Hoping that I may hear  
from you again.

I am,

Respt.

Cammie Flynn  
Alpharetta Ga. R# 5

#36722

July 22, 1903.

Cemie Glynn,  
R. F. D. 16,  
Alpharetta, Ga.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of July 10, 1903, in which  
you state that you received your notice to appear before an  
representative, in order to give testimony relative to your  
application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Land,  
too late to do so, you are advised that if further informa-  
tion is desired you will be notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

July 29, 1904.

Mr. J. B. ...  
... ..

You were notified to appear at Marietta, Georgia,  
on July 1, 1904, before my assistant, Frank W. Dean, to pro-  
duce additional testimony in the matter of your application  
for admission in the judgment of the Court of Claims in  
the matter of the ... ..

On July 1, 1904, you appeared, but failed to produce any  
testimony or to appear at the Court of Claims for the  
purpose of producing additional testimony. It is accordingly necessary  
to consider your failure to appear as a failure to produce  
testimony in the matter of your application for admission in  
the judgment of the Court of Claims in the matter of the ... ..

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in the matter of the ... ..

Very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
Frank W. Dean.

Aug 4. 1888  
Alpharetta, Ga.  
Quinn Miller,  
Washington D. C.

Sir:-

As near as possible I  
will answer the questions in  
regard to the Court of Claims.

My grandfather, Robert  
Booker, was a full blooded  
Indian. I claim Indian  
blood through my father,  
Robert Henderson Booker.



They were born in Sumpter  
County and raised in Dawson  
Co. in Georgia.

I am recognized as white.  
My Grandfather, was recognized  
as a member of the tribe of  
Indians he resided with,  
but I can't give the name  
of the tribe.

I don't know whether any  
of my ancestors were ever  
on an Indian Roll or not.

trusting this will give  
satisfaction.

I remain,

Clemmie Flynn.

Cepharetta, Ga.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Gertrude  
H. H. H.

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Action: *repeated*

Name: *John Doe* and

children.

Residence:

Reason:

*It is a long time since we have been together.*



No. 36723.  
Name *Ellen J. [unclear]*  
With No. 38652,  
Remarks:

*Suppl.*

No. ....

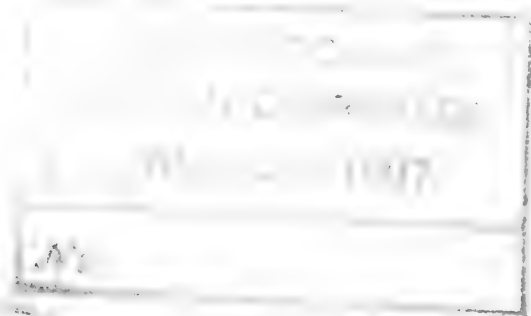
**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF  
*Ella May Norman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*E. M. N.*

*NOTED. J. G.*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ellen May Norman  
Indian name: Sorrow

2. Residence and post office: Lexington Ga. R. F. D. No. 2.

3. County: Oglethorpe

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 23 years Born Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1883

6. Where were you born? Bartow County

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Henry Norman - 24 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.           | BORN.                              |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lilian Norman</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>Apr. 12<sup>th</sup>, 1905.</u> |
| (2) |                      |                |                                    |
| (3) |                      |                |                                    |
| (4) |                      |                |                                    |
| (5) |                      |                |                                    |
| (6) |                      |                |                                    |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Nick Sorrow  
Indian name: Sorrow  
Mother—English name: Sydney Sorrow  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nicholson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.  
Mother: Green Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1899

Mother: 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Don't Know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                      | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>George W. Sorrow</u>   | <u>1869</u> |       |
|     | <u>Sam Sorrow</u>         | <u>1870</u> |       |
| (2) | <u>Mary Lou Kowalsky</u>  | <u>1879</u> |       |
|     | <u>Elizabeth McConner</u> | <u>1874</u> |       |
| (3) |                           |             |       |
| (4) |                           |             |       |
| (5) |                           |             |       |
| (6) |                           |             |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William Sorrow

Sorrow

Lucy Sorrow

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Archie Nicholson

Sallie Nicholson

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Nick Sorrow Died 1902

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Mary Hammona Died 1869

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) Elizabeth Tiller Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Nicklaus Sydney Sorrow;

William and Lucy Sorrow; William Sorrow and his  
parents; who were of Cherokee Indian ancestry

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~J. C. De Putron of Washington D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Ella May Norman)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of June, 1907.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

11th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. W. Blair

and J. H. Gaston, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ella Norman

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Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. W. Blair  
J. H. Gaston  
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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of June, 1907.

My commission expires 1/24, 1908.

Notary Public.

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No. 3672<sup>3</sup>

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Edla M. Norman.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

WASHINGTON, D.C.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: Ella May Norman
2. Residence and post office: Lexington R. F. D. No. 2.
3. County: Oglethorpe
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1883, Barton Co. Ga.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: John Henry Norman, 24 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.           | BORN.                 |
|-----|----------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Lilian Norman</u> | <u>2 years</u> | <u>Apr. 12 - 1905</u> |
| (2) | .....                | .....          | .....                 |
| (3) | .....                | .....          | .....                 |
| (4) | .....                | .....          | .....                 |
| (5) | .....                | .....          | .....                 |
| (6) | .....                | .....          | .....                 |

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't Know

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. ... of ... ..  
... ..  
... ..

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Ella May Norman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

1907.

W. H. Burrow

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

1<sup>st</sup> May, 1907

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. G. Lester and  
William Stewart who, being duly sworn, on oath depose  
and say that they are well acquainted with Ella May Norman who makes the  
foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 5 years,  
respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that  
on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by  
her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of June, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires 1/24, 190 .

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No. 4107

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Ella May Norman

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

WASHINGTON, D.C.

No. 36724

Action: *Accepted*

Name *Flore B Cook* and *7* children. Residence *Woodstock La-*

Reasons:

*Claims her mother who was a slave.*

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No. 36724

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Name Flora E. Cook

With No.

Remarks:

Not an entry.

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James H. Cook

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Oru Etta Cook*

... appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
... approved June 30, 1906, in  
... of the Court of Claims of May  
... 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such <sup>and my minor children</sup> share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.     | BORN.        |
|-----|----------------|----------|--------------|
| (1) | Amie B. Cook   | 17 years | Apr. 27-1890 |
| (2) | Nathaniel Cook | 16 years | June 30-1891 |
| (3) | Mozel Cook     | 14 years | June 12-1893 |
| (4) | James B. Cook  | 10 years | Feb. 27-1896 |
| (5) | Anna B. Cook   | 8 years  | Sept. 9-1898 |
| (6) | Lincy Cook     | 5 years  | Feb. 20-1902 |
| (7) | Milton Cook    | 3 years  | Feb. 7-1904  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Meriwether Co. Ga

Mother: Pike, Co. Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: 1891

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Walter Moore      | 1861  | 1891  |
|     | Wesley Moore      | 1863- | 1864  |
| (2) | Betty Moore       | 1865  | 1869  |
|     | Henrietta Peaster | 1867  | 1895- |
| (3) | Warren Moore      | 1868  |       |
| (4) | Suphonia Moore    | 1870  | 1871  |
| (5) |                   |       |       |
| (6) |                   |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|----------------|----------------------|
| Newton Moore   | Matthew Parks        |
| Betty Moore    | Piney Parks<br>Smith |

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pike Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                       |
|-----|---------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Allice Parks-Douglas, Ga.</u>      |
| (2) | <u>Jordan Parks - Galding Co. Ga.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Piney Ford - Atlanta, Ga.</u>      |
| (4) | <u>Wm. Moore - dead</u>               |
| (5) |                                       |
| (6) |                                       |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grandparents Matthew and

Perry Parks Mary Smith, the daughters of  
Viney Smith a free blood Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
Refer to application No. 4537, for children, the applicant being  
the brother of my husband deceased.  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the  
prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for  
any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Flora Etta Cook

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Aug, 1907.

Thos. E. Latimer  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 2nd, 1909.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by the

witnesses who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me L. L. Lax

and Bertie Dize being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Flora Etta Cook

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

9 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. Dize  
Bertie Dize

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1

Aug, 1907.

My commission expires Jan 2nd, 1909.

Notary Public.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES

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No.

Woodstock Ga Rent #2

My Grand mother was  
a white india and when the  
time was hard with the india  
She was adopted by a white  
man as his own child  
He was the father of a son  
to his daughter (w<sup>th</sup> name) She  
lived with these people till  
she was 16 years old.

She lived the Indian in  
Stabersham County she lived  
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She did not have any  
Chance. enrolled in 1851  
in 1834 and 35; She lived in  
Tollut, County - my Grand  
mother in 1834. She died  
in February 2 years ago.  
She was 95 years old.

Florence E. Cook,

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No. 36725.

Action: *Reject*.

Name *Susan E. Sexton* and *1* children. Residence: *Flowers Branch, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Daughter of # 38208 and claims through the same source.*



No. 36725.

Name Susan E. Sexton.

With No. 38208.

Remarks:

No. 11127

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jesse E. Sexton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with Act of Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May

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J.C. DePUTRON,

Attorney at Law

WASHINGTON, D.C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~me~~ or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.         | AGE. | BORN.        |
|-----|---------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Charley Sison | 4    | July 21 1903 |
| (2) |               |      |              |
| (3) |               |      |              |
| (4) |               |      |              |
| (5) |               |      |              |
| (6) |               |      |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Forsyth Co Ga

Mother:

Dawson Co Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Still Living

Mother:

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15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.                      | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|----------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Emily Bennett    | Feb 12 <sup>th</sup> 1868  |       |
|     | Flomery Branch   |                            |       |
| (2) | W J Jordan       | Jan 22 1872                |       |
|     | Alpharetta Ga    |                            |       |
| (3) | Nancy J Cantrell | July 18 <sup>th</sup> 1874 |       |
|     | Lacrosseville Ga |                            |       |
| (4) | Lizzie B Whitley | July 12 1868               |       |
|     | Batesville Ga    |                            |       |
| (5) | Jas A Jordan     | Oct 15 <sup>th</sup> 1870  |       |
|     | Batesville Ga    |                            |       |
| (6) | Julia Cooper     | Nov 21 1876                |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE.    |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Jas Jordan        | Joshua Oshields   |
| Do not No         | Do not No         |
| Nancy Jordan      | Eliza Oshields    |
| Do not No         | Do not No         |
| Jordan in Georgia | Oshields in South |

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

Cannot give them

(2)

(3)

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(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Susan E. Sulton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug 1907.

J A Mooney Notary Public

My commission expires

Dec 10th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W D Hawkins

and

R A Stovall

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Susan E. Sulton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W D Hawkins

R A Stovall

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**GENERAL AFFIDAVIT**

No. 36725

CLAIM OF

Anna E. Benton

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES |     |
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FOR

Charles Fred

AFFIDAVIT OF

V. H. Grain

FILED BY

J. C. DEPUTRON & CO.

Attorneys for Claimant.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its Prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me, and that W. H. Grain credible person.

[SEAL]

W. H. Grain Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was at time of so doing in the office of in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of February, 1908

[SEAL]

Note.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF PEACE, and sealed if the officer has a seal. If the officer has no seal then the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of official character hereon, unless said JUSTICE or NOTARY has such CERTIFICATE on file in the Pension Department.

Clerk of the

Superior Court

could

[Official Character]

Clerk of the Superior Court in and for aforesaid County

[Official Signature]

W. H. Grain

erased, and the words



The witness should state fully, all he knows of claimant's condition, before enlistment—at discharge—and from time to time since, so long as he has been under his observation—describing his condition and symptoms, naming his diseases and their connections with each other and with the service; locating his injuries, and estimating the degree of disability for the performance of manual labor at  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$ , or  $\frac{3}{4}$ , as the case may be.

READ

## GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Georgia County of Gwinnett ss.

In the matter of the claim of Sussa E. Sexton

daughter of Francis Lane Jordan,

ON THIS 6th day of February A.D. 1908, personally appeared before me, a

W. H. Crain, in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths,

age 66 years, a resident of Gainesville, Ga. #3,

in the County of Hall and State of Georgia

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

[Note. Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

W. H. Crain being duly sworn says that he is well  
acquainted with Sussa E. Sexton, who was Sussa  
E. Jordan, before she married Charles Sexton, her  
father was James A. Jordan per mother was Francis Lane  
Jordan. Sussa E. Sexton her Grand parents was  
Thomas Childs and Eliza Childs. Sussa  
E. Sexton, her Great Grand Parents who was  
Thomas Bell and Isabelle Bell and they all  
told me that they were Eastern Cherokee Indians.  
I do not know of any of them ever being married,  
I have known all of them all of my life and  
lived neighbors to them. I am not any kin to  
Sussa E. Sexton, and have no interest in her claim  
whatever.

I My Post Office address is Gainesville, Ga. R.F.D. No. 3.  
and I further declares that I have no interest in said case and not of him not concerned in its prosecution.

W. H. Crain A. B. V. Office A. B.

W. H. Crain  
[Signature of affiant]

[If affiant signs by mark, two persons who can write, sign here.]

State of Georgia County of Gwinnett SS.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 6th day of February A. D. 19 08

by the above named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant including the words \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ added,

and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise  
interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its Prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me, and  
that W. H. Brain credible person.

[SEAL]

I, R. N. Hoch, Clerk of the Superior Court in and for aforesaid County  
and State, do certify that J. W. Mitchell Esq., who hath signed his name to the  
foregoing declaration and affidavit, was at time of so doing N. P. V. officina J. P. in and  
for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature  
thereto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 7th day of February, 1908

[SEAL]

Clerk of the Superior Court

Note.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF PEACE, and sealed if the officer has a seal. If the officer has no seal then the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of official character hereon, unless said JUSTICE or NOTARY has such CERTIFICATE on file in the Pension Department.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

No.

36725

CLAIM OF

Edward E. Benton

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FOR

Chas. E. Jones

AFFIDAVIT OF

W. H. Brain

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Attorneys for Claimant.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

No. 36726.  
Name Wm. H. Shields and 1 children. Residence: Flowery Branch, Ga.  
Action: Reject  
Reasons: Brother of # 36726 and claims through the same source.

No. 36726.

Name Wm. H. Oshields

With No. 38208.

Remarks:

*Signature*  
No. 70520

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mr. H. Osheals*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**J. C. DePUTRON,**  
**Attorney at Law**

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WASHINGTON



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

|                             |    |              |
|-----------------------------|----|--------------|
| (1) Anne McCrary            | 40 | May 21 1867  |
| (2) Sullie Brown            | 40 | " " "        |
| (3) Julia Ann Martin        | 37 | Aug 21 1870  |
| (4) Alonzo Hampton Oshields | 34 | July 4 1873  |
| (5) Mary Cornelia Smith     | 28 | Apr 22 1879  |
| (6) Amanda Etta Brady       | 26 | Jun 16 1881  |
| Henry H. Oshields           |    | Sept 23 1883 |
| Geo W. Oshields             |    | Feb 26 1887  |
| Clara J. Oshields           |    | Feb 6 1892   |

11. Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before marriage

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dawson Co Ga

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct 1882

Mother: Oct 1874

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | Francis Jordan  | Sept 21 1846 |       |
|     | Flowery Branch  |              |       |
| (2) | Louisa C Howard | June 24 1842 |       |
|     | Canton Ga       |              |       |
| (3) | Angelina Feagan | July 1838    |       |
|     | Alexworth Ga    |              |       |
| (4) | Adaline Taylor  | do not       | No    |
|     | Holly Spring Ga |              |       |
| (5) | Mary L Messer   | do not       | No    |
|     | Canton Ga       |              |       |
| (6) |                 |              |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.  | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Samuel Ashkalds | Thomas Bell    |
| Dodson          | Dodson         |
| Katie Ashkalds  | Izabell Bell   |
| Dodson          | Dodson         |

18. Where were they born? Ashkalds in Ga Bells in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ashkalds in Ga Bell in South Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Cannot give them

(2) .....

(3) .....

(4) .....

(5) .....

(6) .....

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not that I know of

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. H. Oshields

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug, 1907.

J. A. Mooney

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 10th

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

W. H. Oshields

and

R. A. Stovall

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Wm. H. Oshields

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Oshields

R. A. Stovall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug, 1907.

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Dec 10th

1908.

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

No. 36735

CLAIM OF

Elizabeth Nelson

|                           |       |
|---------------------------|-------|
| COUNTY OF CHEROKEE        |       |
| Late STEPHEN CHEROKEE Co. |       |
| Rec. FEB 25 1908          | Reg't |
| No.                       | Vols. |

FOR  
Chester friend.

AFFIDAVIT OF  
G. W. Hurley

FILED BY

J. C. DEPUTRON & CO.

Attorneys for Claimant.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

[SEAL]

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
and State, do certify that  
foregoing declaration and affidavit, was at time of so doing  
for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature  
thereto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

Note.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF PEACE, and sealed if the officer has a seal. If the officer has no seal then the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of official character hereon, unless said JUSTICE or NOTARY has such CERTIFICATE on file in the Pension Department.

[SEAL]

that \_\_\_\_\_ he is a \_\_\_\_\_ credible person.

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
CHEROKEE CO., ALA.

G. E. Will

(Official Signature)

Personally known to me, and

The witness should state fully, all he knows of claimant's condition, before enlistment—at discharge—and from time to time since, so long as he has been under his observation—describing his condition and symptoms, naming his diseases and their connections with each other and with the service, locating his injuries, and estimating the degree of disability for the performance of manual labor at  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , or  $\frac{5}{8}$ , as the case may be.

READ

## GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Alabama County of Cherokee ss.

In the matter of the claim of the claim of Elizabeth Nelson, - 35773 for a share  
of the land now pending in the U. S. Court of Claims for dis-  
tribution among the Eastern Cherokees

ON THIS 6th day of February A. D. 1908, personally appeared before me, a

G. E. Kill N. P. in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths,

G. W. Harlow age 65 years, a resident of Shanice

in the County of Cherokee and State of Alabama

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

" I get my knowledge of the things of which I here testify

[Note.—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

From a personal acquaintance with the persons herein named  
and of the communities in which they live. I have known Elizabeth  
Nelson, the claimant for about 27 years that is all her  
life. I also knew her parents, Alex Pruitt and Melissa Carol  
Pruitt, her father and mother. Her mother was a half  
Cherokee Indian and her grandmother on her mother's side was a  
full blooded Cherokee Indian named Mary  
I know all of them in my boyhood in this county. I know  
where I saw them as late as the year 1845 at our county fair  
and I saw them live afterwards to these people when the Chero-  
kees lived in Tennessee, and from them and from other members  
of that community I know the general reputation of the person  
I have named to be of the Cherokee Indian blood in her mother's  
line given, respectively 1-4, 1-2 and full blood.

Post Office address is Shanice, Cherokee Co. Ala.

further declares that no interest in said case and is not concerned in its prosecution.

J. A. Antwine  
L. H. Barber

[If affiant signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

G. W. Harlow  
his  
G. W. Harlow  
[Signature of affiant]



State of ALABAMA

County of CHEROKEE

SS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

day of

A. D. 19

by the above named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant including the words

erased, and the words

added,

and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise

interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me, and

that he is a credible person.

[SEAL]

NOTARY PUBLIC,  
CHEROKEE CO. ALA.

[Official Signature.]

[Official Character.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_

, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County

and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_

Esq., who hath signed his name to the

foregoing declaration and affidavit, was at time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_

in and

for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190

[SEAL]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

Note.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF PEACE, and sealed if the officer has a seal. If the officer has no seal then the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of official character hereon, unless said JUSTICE or NOTARY has such CERTIFICATE on file in the Pension Department.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

No. 36735

CLAIM OF

Elizabeth Nelson

|       |       |      |     |
|-------|-------|------|-----|
| Date  | FILED | 1903 | Ch. |
| Reg't |       |      |     |

Vols.

Cherokee friend,

AFFIDAVIT OF  
G. W. H. H. H.

FILED BY

J. C. DEERUTRON & CO.

Attorneys for Claimant.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

No. 26727

Name *John Smith*

and *1* children.

Residence: *London, England*

Reasons:

*He is a native of London and has been in the country since 1872.*

Action: *Accepted*

26727



No. 36727

Name J. A. Sanders,

With No. 36652

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Eda* <sup>OF</sup> *Sander*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DODD, JR.,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Sda Sander

Indian name:

Susson

2. Residence and post office:

Lawrence, Ga. R. F. D. No. 1.

3. County:

Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

28 years

Born

July 28, 1879

6. Where were you born?

Oglethorpe County, Ga.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Frank Sander 34 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Robert Milton Ward

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Asmaritha Ward

Indian name:

Susson

Maiden name:

Harriett Sander

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Mother:

Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: now living

Mother: Dec 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                  | BORN.        | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | Johnnie Evelyn Gibson | Feb. 23-1867 |       |
|     | Lena Sanderson        | July 20-1871 |       |
| (2) | William W. Ward       | Oct. 25-1875 |       |
|     | Ruby Adkins           | Feb. 12-1881 |       |
| (3) | Richard W. Ward       | Feb. 9-1884  |       |
|     | Robert Calvin Ward    | Dead         |       |
| (4) | Nathan Milton Ward    | Oct. 5-1873  |       |
|     | Willie Ruff           | Feb. 27-1869 |       |
| (5) |                       |              |       |
| (6) |                       |              |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.    | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Dick Ward</u>  | <u>Jesse M. Hammond</u> |
| <u>Emily Ward</u> | <u>Mary Hammond</u>     |
|                   | <u>Susanna</u>          |

18. Where were they born? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |                             |
|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Caroline Hammond</u> | <u>Violet Viola Bridges</u> |
| (2) | <u>Amaranthia Ward</u>  | <u>Mathie Stalnaker</u>     |
| (3) | <u>Sarah Ann Sarns</u>  | <u>Mary Jane Wilson</u>     |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth Ruff</u>   |                             |
| (5) | <u>Lohn H. Hammond</u>  |                             |
| (6) | <u>Dora Burt</u>        |                             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Robert Milton

and Aquarithia Ward; Grand  
Parents Jesse and Mary Hammond; Great Grand  
Parents William and Lucy Sorrow; Great Great  
Grandparent William Sorrow, who was of Cherokee ancestry  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D. C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of Aug, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

11/1, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. G. Lester

and

William Stewart

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Ida Sanders

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and

5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. G. Lester

William Stewart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

11/1, 1907.

Notary Public.

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No. 7072 ?

Action: *Accepted*

Name, *Mandy Beard* and *8* children. Residence: *Crawford, Ka.*

Reasons:

*Applicant & ancestors were never enrolled  
and it does not appear that there were living within the  
limits of the Cherokee Commission, 1856 to 1870 as  
recognized members of the tribe. It does not appear  
that they ever lived with the Cherokees as recognized  
members of the tribe.*

# 36795



No. 36728

Name Mandy Head

With No.

Remarks:

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better sent.  
July 31/08

*Supl.*

No. 207204

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mandy Heard*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Momely Heard

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Crawford, Ga

3. County: Oglethorpe

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 55 years Born Dec - 20 - 1852

6. Where were you born? Oglethorpe Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jhe Heard, 56 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.            | BORN.                    |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ellen Heard, Homes</u>    | <u>32 years</u> | <u>March - 15 - 1875</u> |
| (2) | <u>Will Ed. Heard</u>        | <u>24 years</u> | <u>Dec - 15 - 1883</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Sanders Heard</u>         | <u>23 years</u> | <u>Aug - 15 - 1884</u>   |
| (4) | <u>Elizabeth Heard, Huff</u> | <u>28 years</u> | <u>Jan - 7 - 1901</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Lela Heard, Faust</u>     | <u>22 years</u> | <u>July - 24 - 1885</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Willis Heard</u>          | <u>21 years</u> | <u>May - 13 - 1886</u>   |
|     | <u>Tommy Heard, Faust</u>    | <u>14 years</u> | <u>Aug - 25 - 1891</u>   |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Henry Guns

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Maria Guns

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Oglethorpe Co. Ga

Mother: Oglethorpe Co. Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead 1867

Mother: Maria I Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.           | DIED.             |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| (1) | <u>Wella Huff</u>     | <u>49 years</u> | <u>About 1882</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sebastian Gums</u> |                 | <u>About 1882</u> |
| (3) |                       |                 |                   |
| (4) |                       |                 |                   |
| (5) |                       |                 |                   |
| (6) |                       |                 |                   |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Henry Gums (Indian)

Maria Gums

18. Where were they born? Virginia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Warren Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Amie Gums Dead

(2) Emily Gums Dead

(3) Emily Gums Dead

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Don't know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents Henry & Maria Gunn;  
Grand parents Henry & Maria Gunn; Henry Gunn  
was a Eastern Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mandy X Heard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Sept 1907

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 1911

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. G. Carter

and William Stuart who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mandy Heard who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 18 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Sept 1907.

My commission expires July 1911

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Witnesses to Mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires

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No. 56 '17 8.

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mandy Heald.

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



## Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. ....

1. State your full name: Mandy Heard
2. Residence and post office: Bradford Ga
3. County: Oglethorpe
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Oglethorpe Co. Ga. Dec-20-1852
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs. Heard, 56 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

|     | NAME   | AGE      | BORN          |
|-----|--|----------|---------------|
|     | Ellen Heard Sommer   | 32 years | March-15-1875 |
| (1) | Will Ed Heard  | 24 years | Dec-16-1883   |
|     | Sondra Heard   | 23 years | Dec-15-1884   |
| (2) | Elizabeth Heard Huff   | 28 years | Aug-4-1879    |
|     | Lella Heard Faust  | 25 years | Sept-24-1885  |
| (3) | William Heard  | 21 years | May-13-1886   |
|     | Marjorie Heard Faust   | 16 years | Aug-25-1891   |
| (4) | Berdrum Heard  | 17 years | Dec-12-1890   |
|     | Easter Heard   | 11 years | Jan-12-1895   |
| (5) | Robert Heard   | 4 years  | Aug-15-1903   |
|     | Lucretia Heard   | 6 years  | Jan-7-1901    |
| (6) | Corrie Heard   | 8 years  | July-24-1899  |
|     | Henry Heard  | 1 year   | March-15-1906 |
| 10. | Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: <u>No.</u> |          |               |

### REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of August 1907.

Notary Public.

My Commission expires

1907.

# AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me T. G. Lester and William Stewart who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Maud Heard who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 10 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

1908.

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No. 56175

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Maud Heard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Abstract: The purpose of this study was to determine the effect of a 12-week training program on the heart rate (HR) and blood pressure (BP) of sedentary, middle-aged men. The subjects were divided into two groups: a control group and an exercise group. The exercise group performed a 12-week training program consisting of aerobic and resistance exercises. The control group remained sedentary. HR and BP were measured at baseline and at the end of the 12-week period. The exercise group showed a significant decrease in both HR and BP compared to the control group. The results suggest that a 12-week training program can effectively reduce HR and BP in sedentary, middle-aged men.

Appl. 56784

May 1, 1938.

Wendell L. D.,  
C. C. C. C., D. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the fund arising from the payment of the bond of  
Clarks in favor of the Eastern Shoppers, please state  
whether or not your interests or investments are verified  
with the Bureau of the Office. Also, state whether or not  
you are a member of the Eastern Shoppers Association or  
any other organization. If you are a member of the  
Eastern Shoppers Association, please state in the committee in  
which you are now active.

The Eastern Shoppers Association was organized in 1917, and  
was later reorganized in 1928. It is a non-profit  
organization. It is a member of the Eastern Shoppers  
Association. It is a member of the Eastern Shoppers  
Association. It is a member of the Eastern Shoppers  
Association.

If you are a member of the Eastern Shoppers Association, please  
state whether or not you are a member of the Eastern Shoppers  
Association.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

C. C. C. C.

No. 36729

Action: *Repealed*

Name *William A. Barrett* and 5 children.

Residence: *Waukegan, Ill.*

Reasons:

*Not true*

No. 36729  
Name Mr. A. Bennett  
With No. 35745  
Remarks:



*Duplicate of 35740*

No.

*See # 35745*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

**APPLICATION**

*William A. Barrett and for  
his minor children, Ellie, Ollie,  
Paul and Claude Barrett -  
and Ruth Barrett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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JULY 12 1906  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William A. Barrett, and for his Minor children  
Indian name: Ellie, Allie, Paul and Claud Barrett.

2. Residence and post office:

Aleworth, Georgia

3. County:

Cobb

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

41

Born

July 30, 1865

6. Where were you born?

Lawrence County, Georgia

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Aldie Barrett, 31 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Does Not Claim

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ellie Barrett</u>   | <u>12</u> | <u>Nov. 24, 1894</u> |
| (2) | <u>Allie Barrett</u>   | <u>5</u>  | <u>Jan. 2, 1898</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Paul Barrett</u>    | <u>7</u>  | <u>Nov. 24, 1900</u> |
| (4) | <u>Claud Barrett</u>   | <u>5</u>  | <u>Dec. 20, 1902</u> |
| (5) | <u>Rebecca Barrett</u> | <u>2</u>  | <u>March 3, 1904</u> |
| (6) |                        |           |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Andrew R. Barrett

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Emily Barrett

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Emily Whitmire

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Tall County, Georgia

Mother:

Herseyth County, Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Forsyth County, Georgia

Mother:

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14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN.                          | DIED.             |
|-----|--|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Rose Sims<br>Acworth, Georgia.             | April 7 1841                   |                   |
| (2) | Carnest Barrett<br>Acworth, Georgia        | April 16, 1840                 |                   |
| (3) | Mary Palmore<br>Chelsea, Indian Territory  | Dec. 8 1841                    |                   |
| (4) | Joseph T. Barrett<br>Cartersville Georgia. | July 22nd 1856                 |                   |
| (5) | John Barrett<br>Walter Barrett             | March 20, 1861<br>Feb 18, 1870 | 1895<br>1894      |
| (6) | George Barrett<br>Charlie Barrett          | Feb 12 1862<br>Mar 1, 1870     | 1893 Aug<br>11 11 |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Simon

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Christopher Whitmore

Henry Whitmore

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |                   |
|-----|------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Emily Barrett    | Acworth, Georgia. |
| (2) | Madison Whitmore | Acworth           |
| (3) | Andrew Whitmore  | Acworth           |
| (4) | John Whitmore    | Acworth           |
| (5) | George Whitmore  | Acworth           |
| (6) | William Whitmore | Acworth           |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - Andrew B. Barrett and Emily Barrett nee Whitmore, Grand Parents - Christopher Whitmore and Nancy Whitmore, Great Grand Parents - Samuel Whitmore and Polly Whitmore

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Shug & Shug of Bone Lodge and  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued to settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature William A. Barrett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

1909.

W.C. Walton  
Notary Public,  
Clerk Superior Court,  
Barlow Co. Ga.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. A. Barrett

and W. A. Barrett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William A. Barrett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. A. Barrett  
W. A. Barrett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

1909.

W.C. Walton  
Notary Public,  
Clerk Superior Court,  
Barlow Co. Ga.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, or sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36730

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Joseph T. Bennett* and *2* children. Residence: *Portersville Pa*

Reasons: *Indigent*

No. 34720

Name J. Barrett

With No. 1111111111

Remarks :

See - List

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No. 10

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

### APPLICATION

*Joseph T. Barrett and for  
his wife, Ola and  
Jela Barrett.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



WASHINGTON, D.C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Joseph T. Barnett and for Ala Barnett and  
Gela Barnett minors.

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Cartersville, Georgia

3. County:

Barton

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

50

Born

July 22nd 1856

6. Where were you born?

Horsyth Co. Georgia

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Mintonia Barnett Age 47

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Does not claim

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.              | AGE. | BORN.            |
|-----|--------------------|------|------------------|
| (1) | Charles W. Barnett | 28   | June 12th, 1879- |
| (2) | Laura C. Barnett   | 25   | March 14, 1882   |
| (3) | Andrew H. Barnett  | 22   | May 27th, 1885   |
| (4) | Ala Barnett        | 18   | Nov. 19, 1888    |
| (5) | Gela Barnett       | 16   | Oct. 26th. 1890  |
| (6) |                    |      |                  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Andrew H. Barnett

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Emily Barnett

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Emily Whitmore

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Ball County Georgia

Mother:

Horsyth County Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                 | BORN.          | DIED.      |
|-----|---------------------------------------|----------------|------------|
| (1) | Roxey Sims<br>Akwath, Georgia         | Dec 7, 1864    |            |
| (2) | William A. Bonett<br>Akwath, Georgia. | Aug 30, 1865   |            |
| (3) | Mary Palmer<br>Chelsea Indian Res.    | Dec 1, 1868    |            |
| (4) | Carroll Bonett<br>Akwath, Ga.         | Dec 1, 1873    |            |
| (5) | John Bonett                           | March 26, 1861 | 1895       |
|     | Walter Bonett                         | Oct 13, 1861   | 1894       |
| (6) | George Bonett                         | Dec 14, 1862   | very young |
|     | Charles Bonett                        | Dec 16, 1873   |            |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                 |                 |
|-----|-----------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Emily Bonett    | Akwath, Georgia |
| (2) | Madison Whitman | Ala.            |
| (3) |                 |                 |
| (4) |                 |                 |
| (5) |                 |                 |
| (6) |                 |                 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No -

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Parents - Andrew R. Barrett and Emily Barrett ne Whitmire  
Grand " Christopher Whitmire and Mary Whitmire  
Great " " Samuel Whitmire and Polly Whitmire

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

born and Shap of Rome, Georgia and  
J. C. De Puton of Washington, D.C. and my recognized attorney in the  
prosecution of this case with authority to receive and accept for  
any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Joseph T. Barrett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

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W. C. Walton  
Clerk Superior Court  
Bartow Co. Ga.  
Notary Public

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. G. Hollan

and J. R. Williamson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Joseph T. Barrett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and

18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Hollan  
J. R. Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31

190

W. C. Walton  
Clerk Superior Court  
Bartow Co. Ga.  
Notary Public

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No. 36731

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Robert C. Barrett* and *X* children. Residence: *Wintersville, Pa.*

Reasons:

*Not a citizen*



No. 36131

Name. J. H. H. - F. H. H.

With No. 1. it is all

Remarks :



No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Andrew F. Barrett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

18 795 WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Andrew F. Barrett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Cartersville

3. County: Bartow

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 22 Born May 27th, 1885

6. Where were you born? Forsyth County Georgia

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.              | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>No Children</u> |      |       |
| (2) | _____              |      |       |
| (3) | _____              |      |       |
| (4) | _____              |      |       |
| (5) | _____              |      |       |
| (6) | _____              |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph T. Barrett

Indian name: Mintoria Barrett

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: Mintoria Owens

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born?

Father: Forsyth County, Georgia

Mother: Forsyth County, Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: Not yet born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.            | DIED. |
|-----|--|------------------|-------|
| (1) | Charlie D. Barnett<br>Rome, Georgia. #206 West 4th St. | June 12th. 1879. |       |
| (2) | Laura E. Barrett<br>Cartersville, Georgia.             | March 14th. 1882 |       |
| (3) | Ola Barrett<br>Cartersville, Georgia.                  | Nov. 19th. 1888  |       |
| (4) | Lela Barrett<br>Cartersville, Georgia.                 | Oct. 26th. 1890  |       |
| (5) |  |                  |       |
| (6) |  |                  |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Andrew R. Barrett

Does not claim

Emily Barrett ne Whitmire daughter of  
Christopher Whitmire ~~Whitmire~~  
brother of Delila Whitmire

Andrew R. Barrett in Hall Co. Georgia.

18. Where were they born? Emily Barrett nee Whitmire Forsyth Co. Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Forsyth, Co. Georgia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                            |
|-----|--------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | William A. Barrett | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (2) | Earnest Barrett    | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (3) | Rexey Sims         | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (4) | Mary Palmous       | Chelsea, Indian Territory. |
| (5) | Joseph T. Barrett  | Cartersville, Georgia.     |
| (6) | John Barrett       | Dead                       |
| (7) | Walter Barrett     | "                          |
| (8) | George Barrett     | "                          |
| (9) | Charlie Barrett    | "                          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....  
No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....  
Parents-Joseph T. Barrett and Mintoria Barrett  
Grand Parents- Andrew R. Barrett and Emily Barrett nee Whitmire  
Great Grand parents- Christopher Whitmire the son of Samuel Whitmire

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through my father Joseph T. Barrett son of Emily Barrett nee Whitmire the daughter of Christopher Whitmire son of Samuel Whitmire  
J. C. De Puton of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive any receipt for warrant issue in settlement. Sharp & Sharp of Rome, Ga. are also my attorneys.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Andrew T. Barrett*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *July* 1907.

My commission expires

*Dec. 31* 190*9*.

*W. C. Walton*  
Notary Public,  
*Ct. Supr Court*  
*Bartow Co. Ga.*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *W. G. Hollan*  
and *J. R. Williamson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Andrew F. Barrett*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *5* years and *18* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents himself to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*W. G. Hollan*  
*J. R. Williamson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *5* day of *Aug* 1907.

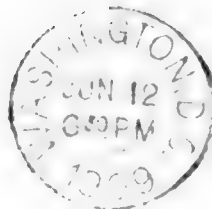
My commission expires

*Dec 31* 190*8*

*W. C. Walton*  
Notary Public,  
*Ct. Supr Court*  
*Bartow Co. Ga.*

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If not called for in 15 days, return to  
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,  
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Andrew F. Barrett,

~~Cantonville,~~

Ga.

*Adeworth Emerson,*

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Andrew F. Barrett*  
*Cartersville*  
*Ga*

June 10, 1909.

Sir:

On May 22, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 34731, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~It~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

*forward*

Unclaimed.

Andrew F. Barrett,

~~C/O J. C. De Putron,~~

~~Washington, D. C.~~

*Cartersville Georgia*

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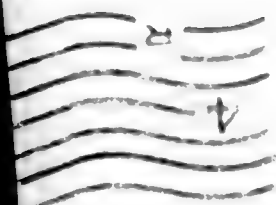
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No. 16752

Name *James Bennett* and *X* children. Residence: *1011, 4th*

Action: *Protested*

Reasons: *1. Injure case*

16752

No. 2672

Name Samuel L. Smith

With No. Historic file

Remarks :

No. 11,111

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Charlie L. Barnett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. C. DePOTRON,  
Attorney at Law

28698 WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Charlie W. Barrett

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

# 206 West 4th St Rome,

3. County:

Floyd

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

28

Born

June 12th 1878

6. Where were you born?

In Forsyth County, Georgia

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Hattie C. Barrett 26 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Does not claim

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

none

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Joseph T. Barrett

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mintoria Barrett

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mintoria Lewis

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Forsyth County, Georgia

Mother:

"

"

"

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Laura C. Barrett      | March 14, 1882 |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia |                |       |
| (2) | Andrew H. Barrett     | May 27, 1885   |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia |                |       |
| (3) | Lila Barrett          | Nov. 19, 1888  |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia |                |       |
| (4) | Lela Barrett          | Oct. 26, 1890  |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia |                |       |
| (5) |                       |                |       |
| (6) |                       |                |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.             | MOTHER'S SIDE.              |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Andrew P. Barrett          | Never met Clara             |
| Emily Barrett nee Whitmire | daughter of                 |
| Christopher Whitmire       | a brother of Lila Whitmire. |

18. Where were they born? Andrew P. Barrett in Hall Co., Georgia

Emily Barrett nee Whitmire in Forsyth Co., Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Forsyth County, Georgia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                           |
|-----|--------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | William H. Barrett | Acworth, Georgia.         |
| (2) | Carrest Barrett    | Acworth, Georgia.         |
| (3) | Roxey Sims         | Acworth, Georgia.         |
| (4) | Mary Palmons       | Chelsea Indian Territory. |
| (5) | Joseph T. Barrett  | Cartersville, Ga.         |
| (6) | John Leonard       | Dead                      |
| 7-  | Walter Barrett     | "                         |
| 8-  | George Barrett     | "                         |
| 9-  | Charlie Barrett    | "                         |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - Joseph T. Barrett and Mintonia Barrett - Grand Parents - Andrew R. Barrett and Emily Barrett - Great Grand Parents - Christopher Whitmire and son of Samuel Whitmire.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through my father Joseph T. Barrett son of Emily Barrett nee Whitmire the daughter of Christopher Whitmire son of Samuel Whitmire.

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I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Charles T. Barrett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

1909

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Personally appeared before me W. G. Hollan  
and J. R. Williamson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charlie A. Barrett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person. he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Hollan

J. R. Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

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W. C. Walton  
Notary Public  
CLK Superior Court  
Barlow Co. Ga.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36733

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Samuel Barrett* and *X* children. Residence: *Easton, Me.*

Reasons: *Native born*

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No. 26733

Name Laura E. Parrott

With No. 26733 file

Remarks :

*for J. H. Marshall*

No. *100,000*

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Laura C. Barnett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. H. MARSHALL  
S. H. MARSHALL  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Laura E. Barrett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Cartersville, Georgia.

3. County: Bartow

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 25 Born March 14th. 1882.

6. Where were you born? Forsyth County

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>None</u> |      |       |
| (2) |             |      |       |
| (3) |             |      |       |
| (4) |             |      |       |
| (5) |             |      |       |
| (6) |             |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Joseph T. Barrett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mintoria Barrett

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mintoria Owens

12. Where were they born?

Father: Forsyth County Georgia.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                             | BORN.           | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| (1) | Charlie D. Barrett                | June 12th. 1879 |       |
|     | Rome, Georgia. #206 West 4th. St. |                 |       |
| (2) | Andrew F. Barrett                 | May 27th. 1885  |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia.            |                 |       |
| (3) | Ola Barrett                       | Nov. 19th. 1888 |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia.            |                 |       |
| (4) | Lela Barrett                      | Oct. 26th. 1890 |       |
|     | Cartersville, Georgia.            |                 |       |
| (5) |                                   |                 |       |
| (6) |                                   |                 |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|--|----------------|
| Andrew R. Barrett  | Does not claim |
| Emily Barrett nee Whitmire daughter of<br>Christopher Whitmire a brother of<br>Delila Whitmire |                |

18. Where were they born? Andrew R. Barrett in Hall Co. Georgia.  
Emily Barrett nee Whitmire in Forsyth Co. Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

Forsyth, County Georgia.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                            |
|-----|--------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | William A. Barrett | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (2) | Farnest Barrett    | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (3) | Roxey Sims         | Acworth, Georgia.          |
| (4) | Mary Palous        | Chelsea, Indian Territory. |
| (5) | Joseph T. Barrett  | Cartersville, Georgia.     |
| (6) | John Barrett       | Dead                       |
| (7) | Walter Barrett     | "                          |
| (8) | George Barrett     | "                          |
| (9) | Charlie Barrett    | "                          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:  
Parents- Joseph T. Barrett and Mintoria Barrett  
Grand Parents- Andrew R. Barrett and Emily Barrett nee Whitmire  
Great Grand Parents- Christopher Whitmire the son of Samuel Whitmire.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
I claim through my father Joseph T. Barrett son of Emily Barrett nee Whitmire the daughter of Christopher Whitmire son of Samuel Whitmire.

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement. Also Sharp & Sharp of Rome, Ga. are my attorneys.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Laura E. Barrett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31

1909.

W. C. Walton  
Clerk Superior Court  
Bartow Co. Ga.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. G. Hollan

and J. R. Williamson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Laura E. Barrett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 18 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Hollan  
J. R. Williamson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31

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W. C. Walton  
Clerk Superior Court  
Bartow Co. Ga.

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No. 36734

Action:

*Rejected*

Name *Ernest Barrett* and *4* children.

Residence:

*Albany, N.Y.*

Reasons:

*Widow's Case*

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No. 26124

Name. J. H. Bennett

With No. 26125

Remarks :

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no more



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No. 35744 Duplicate.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Ernest Bonnett and for  
minor children. Nina  
Herman and Russell Bonnett  
and Nellie Bonnett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Carnest Barnett and for his Minor Children  
Indian name: Nina, Herman and Russell Barnett.
2. Residence and post office: Feworth  
3. County: Cobb  
4. State: Georgia
5. How old are you? 37 Born April 1, 1869
6. Where were you born? Danville Georgia
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lula Barnett 28 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Nina Barnett</u>    | <u>6</u> | <u>Nov 11, 1900</u> |
| (2) | <u>Herman Barnett</u>  | <u>4</u> | <u>Dec 7, 1901</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Russell Barnett</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>Mar 1, 1905</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Belle Barnett</u>   | <u>1</u> | <u>Jan 17, 1906</u> |
| (5) |                        |          |                     |
| (6) |                        |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Andrew R. Barnett

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Emily Barnett

Indian name:

Maiden name: Emily Whitmire

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

Hall County Georgia  
Forsyth County Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Forsyth Co. Georgia

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                    | BORN.                        | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------|
| (1) | Roxey Sims               | July 7, 1834                 |       |
|     | Akwath, Georgia          |                              |       |
| (2) | William A. Barrett       | July 30, 1865                |       |
|     | Akwath, Georgia          |                              |       |
| (3) | Mary Palmer              | Dec. 12, 1868                |       |
|     | Chelsea Indian Territory |                              |       |
| (4) | John Barrett             | Nov. 26, 1861                | 1895  |
| (5) | Joseph T. Barrett        | July 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 1856 |       |
|     | Cartersville, Ga.        |                              | 1894  |
| (6) | Walter Barrett           | Oct. 13, 1860                |       |
|     | George Barrett           | Nov. 1, 1861                 |       |
|     | Charlie Barrett          | Dec. 16, 1878                |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Christopher Whitman

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |                 |
|-----|----------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Emily Barrett  | Akwath, Georgia |
| (2) | Morton Barrett | Akwath          |
| (3) |                |                 |
| (4) |                |                 |
| (5) |                |                 |
| (6) | Eliza Wallace  | Akwath, Georgia |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Parents - Andrew R. Barrett and Emily Barrett nee Whitmore  
Grand Parents - Christopher Whitmore and Nancy Whitmore  
Great " " Samuel Whitmore and Polly Whitmore

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Shays Shuf of Rome, Ga, and  
J. C. De Duren of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive any receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature E. Ernest Barrett)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31 1909.

W.C. Walton  
Notary Public.  
Clerk Superior Court  
Barrow Co. Ga.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. T. Harris  
and W. G. Hallen, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ernest Barrett who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. T. Harris  
W. G. Hallen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec. 31 1909.

W.C. Walton  
Notary Public.  
Clerk Superior Court  
Barrow Co. Ga.

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No. 36735.

Action: *Ref. &*

Name *Elizabeth Nelson* and 11, children. Residence: *Summerville, Ga.*

Reasons: *Aunt & - #36736*

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Name

Elizabeth Nelson

With No.

Remarks

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Name Elizabeth Nelson  
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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Elizabeth Nelson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. De PUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Elizabeth Nelson (nee Pruitt)

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

R. F. D. #1 Summerville

3. County:

Chattanooga

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

59

Born

1848

6. Where were you born?

Clocke County Tennessee

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband:

George Anderson Nelson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                       | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | John Nelson                 | 30   | 1877  |
| (2) | James Nelson                | 23   | 1884  |
| (3) | Ida Viola (Nelson) Chastain | 21   | 1886  |
| (4) | Mattie (Nelson) Dunn        | 20   | 1887  |
| (5) | Josie M. (Nelson) Gomblood  | 19   | 1888  |
| (6) | Charles Nelson              | 14   | 1893  |
| (7) | Robert Nelson               | 13   | 1894  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Alexander Pruitt

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Melissa Caroline Pruitt

Indian name:

none I think

Maiden name:

Melissa Caroline Haney

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Clocke County Tenn.

Mother:

Clocke County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cooke County Tennessee  
Mother: Cooke Co Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: In The Civil war abt 1861  
Mother: In Cherokee Co Ala 1884

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|--------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | Frank J. Pruitt<br>Cherokee Co Ala   | 1852  | living |
| (2) | Millard F. Pruitt<br>Cherokee Co Ala | 1850  | living |
| (3) | Thomas Pruitt<br>Cherokee Co Ala     | 1854  | living |
| (4) |                                      |       |        |
| (5) |                                      |       |        |
| (6) |                                      |       |        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.              |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Pruitt               | Harrison Haney              |
| paternal grandfather | maternal grandfather        |
| Nancy Pruitt         | Mary Ann Haney (nee Qualls) |
| paternal grandmother | maternal grandmother        |

18. Where were they born? Mary Ann Haney in S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Harrison Haney and Mary Ann Haney (nee Qualls) Cooke Co Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |                     |
|-----|----------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Louis Haney    |                     |
| (2) | Harrison Haney | Ind. Territory      |
| (3) | William Haney  | Abil Cooke Co Tenn. |
| (4) |                |                     |
| (5) |                |                     |
| (6) |                |                     |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I think not, except

claim filed about 12 years since at Salequah and Len.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: maternal grandmother

Mary Ann Hanes (nee Dualls) through whom  
I claim was living there

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through Maternal grandmother Mary Ann Hanes

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rome G.a.  
are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Elizabeth X Peterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

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J. P. Goehs  
Ordinary  
Cherokee County, Georgia

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Doedel

and J. F. Woodall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs Elizabeth Peterson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

30 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

W. M. Hall

J. F. Woodall

Subscribed and sworn to be

My commission expires

Dec 31

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Doedel

J. F. Woodall

day of August 1907.

J. P. Goehs

Notary Public.

Cherokee County, Georgia  
ary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an  
ted before a notary, etc.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it not be executed before a notary, etc.

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REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, March 19, 1908.

Mr. C. D. Rivers,  
Summerville, Georgia.

Sir:

Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your letter of March 14, 1908, enclosing post-office money order for seventy-five cents, drawn on Postmaster at Tahlequah, Oklahoma, in payment of a certified copy of a claim for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, filed before the Dawes Commission by Elizabeth Nelson of Chattooga County, Georgia, together with the evidence submitted in support thereof.

In reply, the money order enclosed with your letter is herewith returned, and you are advised that the same should be made payable to Geo. N. Wise, Special Disbursing Agent to the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

You are requested to furnish further information relative to the Elizabeth Nelson you have reference to, as it appears from the records of this office that several persons have made application for citizenship in the Cherokee Nation under the name of Eliza Nelson, and it is probable that the person to whom you refer can be identified under that name.

Respectfully,

*J. H. [Signature]*  
Acting Commissioner.

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| REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING: |
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, April 1, 1908.

Mr. C. D. Rivers,  
Summerville, Georgia.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of March 26, 1908, furnishing certain information relative to Elizabeth Nelson, and enclosing seventy-five cents in payment of information as to this person which was requested in a previous letter.

In reply, you are advised that this office is unable to identify the person you refer to enrolled under the name of Elizabeth Nelson, and the money remitted by you is herewith returned in the form of a post-office money order for seventy-two cents.

Respectfully,

*Thomas G. ...*  
Acting Commissioner.

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Jan 7, 1942

Elizabeth Nelson,  
P.O. Box 1,  
Doverville, Ga.

Ma'am:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Roll, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee Nation. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized by white people. In what connection in the community in which you and they have resided.

Did you ever parent there? How you also not enrolled in 1881, and where was he or her residing in 1881-1882, and during at that time? Where were your grandparents in the white community after you also residing in 1881-1882.

Thank you very much, please send me a copy of the roll of the Eastern Cherokee.

Yours very truly,

Special Commissioner

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Summerville Ga. May 9th. 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,

Special Commissioner,

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 7th. inst: Elizabeth Nelson who filed claim No. 36735 died August 24th 1907, since filing said claim.

1st.

Mary Haney, claimants grandmother resided among the Cherokee Indians of Cocke county, Tenn, we are not sure, whether she so resided as other mixed breeds or whites of that time or in the tribal relation.

2nd.

Claimants people have always been recognized as whites and whites with Indian blood, wherever they have resided.

3rd.

It is not possible to say why they were not enrolled in 1851

4th.

In 1834-35 Mary Haney through whom claimant traces her Indian descent, resided in Cocke County, Tenn.

5th.

Claimants people have never been slaves.

6th.

Every effort has been made to get copies of a claim to citizenship in the Cherokee Nation, supposed to have been filed by this claimant before the Dawsc Commission, but it appears that though the claim was prepared it was never filed by attorney for claimant..

In Court Of Claims,  
Eastern Cherokee Fund,  
Claim 36735,  
Elizabeth Nelson.

George Nelson  
Husband of Claimant,

C. D. Rivers  
Local Attorney for Claimant.

No. 36736,

Action: *Reject.*

Name

*James Nelson,*

and

*1*

children.

Residence:

*Summerville, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Master not on rolls. Does not show  
genuine connection with Church.*

*W.H. test. P. 1123.*

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No. 10000

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James Nelson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DePUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

James Nelson

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Summerville

3. County:

Chattanooga

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

23

Born

1884

6. Where were you born?

Alpine Georgia

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Carrie Nelson (nee White)

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.        | AGE.       | BORN.                     |
|-----|--------------|------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | Frank Nelson | 1 yr 2 mos | May 17 <sup>th</sup> 1904 |
| (2) |              |            |                           |
| (3) |              |            |                           |
| (4) |              |            |                           |
| (5) |              |            |                           |
| (6) |              |            |                           |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

George Anderson Nelson

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Nelson

Indian name:

none

Maiden name:

Elizabeth Pruitt

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Cherokee Co. Ala

Mother:

Cook Co Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: unknown

Mother: Cooke County Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I think mother filed claim

about 12 years ago at Salequah Ind. Ter.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                     | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|---|-------|--------|
| (1) | John Nelson<br>Sumnerville Ga             | 1877  | living |
| (2) | Ida Viola (Nelson) Chastin<br>Ringgold Ga | 1886  | living |
| (3) | John M. Youngblood<br>Sumnerville Ga      | 1888  | living |
| (4) | Mathie (Nelson) Dunn<br>Mauls Ga          | 1887  | living |
| (5) | Charles Nelson<br>Sumnerville Ga          | 1893  | living |
| (6) | Robert Nelson<br>Sumnerville Ga           | 1894  | living |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Frank Nelson

unknown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Alexander Pruitt

Maternal grandfather

Melissa Caroline Pruitt

Maternal grandmother

18. Where were they born: Alexander T. Melissa Pruitt Cooke Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cooke Co Tenn

(maternal grandparents)

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                   |                 |
|-----|-------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Frank J. Pruitt   | Cherokee Co Ala |
| (2) | Millard F. Pruitt | " " "           |
| (3) | Thomas Pruitt     | " " "           |
| (4) |                   |                 |
| (5) |                   |                 |
| (6) |                   |                 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have not unless

by my mother as before stated

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My maternal grand  
mother Melissa Caroline Pruitt (nee Hawley,  
through who I claim lived at this date

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I refer to claim of my mother of this date & place.  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D. C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rome Ga. are  
my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908.

J. N. Rush  
Clerk Superior Court  
Cherokee Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

H. A. Brownfield

and

J. M. Bellah

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

James Nelson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and

7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. A. Brownfield

J. M. Bellah

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908.

J. N. Rush  
Clerk Superior Court  
Cherokee Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36736. (36735)

James Nelson, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is James Nelson; I was born in Cherokee Co., Ala. 1884; I claim my Indian blood through my mother; my mother's maiden name was Elizabeth Pruitt; my mother was born Cocke Co., Tenn.; 1843; I claim no Indian blood through my father; my mother got her Indian blood from her mother, whose maiden name was Melissa Caroline Hainey; I am unable to trace my ancestry farther back than my grandmother, Melissa Caroline Hainey; I do not know whether my mother or grandmother ever lived with the Cherokee Indians as a member of the tribe or not; I think my grandmother, Melissa Caroline Hainey, was born in Cocke Co., Tenn., I do not what year; my mother and grandmother through whom I claim were always regarded as white people, with a mixture of Cherokee Indian blood; my grandmother was half Cherokee; none of the ancestors through whom I claim ever had an Indian name that I know of; in 1835 my grandmother was living in Cherokee Co., Ala.; in 1851 the ancestors through whom I claim lived in Cocke Co., Tenn.; none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held as slaves; none of my ancestors ever went west with the Indians in 1835 that I know of.

James Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Summerville, Ga.,  
this 31st day of July, 1908.

Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.



No. 36737

Action: *Reject*

Name *Melvin M. Graham* X. children. Residence *Mountainboro, Va.*

Reasons: *Brother G. #79153.*

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No. 36737-38

Name

With No. 19153

Remarks:

Tom McMillan  
Lilly B. Dye



No. 10727

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John M. D. [illegible]*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. [illegible]  
[illegible]  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

William Mc Mahan

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

Mountainboro Etowah Co. Ala

3. County:

Etowah

4. State:

Alabama

5. How old are you?

44

Born

1863

6. Where were you born?

Cherokee Co. Georgia

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Louisa McMahan

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

James Mc Mahan

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Sallie Mc Mahan

Indian name:

"Little Deer Sallie

Maiden name:

Little Deer Sallie

12. Where were they born?

Father:

State of Tennessee

Mother:

Cherokee Co. Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Cherokee Co. Georgia

Mother:

Cherokee Co. Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

1887 in Cherokee Co Georgia

Mother:

1866 in Cherokee Co. Georgia

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN. | DIED.     |
|-----|--|-------|-----------|
| (1) | John Franklin M <sup>c</sup> Mahan<br>Summerville Ga | 1852  | living    |
| (2) | Elizabeth J Evans (ne M <sup>c</sup> Mahan)          | 1859  | dead 1898 |

|     |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (3) |  |  |  |
| (4) |  |  |  |
| (5) |  |  |  |
| (6) |  |  |  |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

William M<sup>c</sup> Mahan

MOTHER'S SIDE.

unknown

Jam M<sup>c</sup> Mahan (ne Mindanean) unknown

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Jam M<sup>c</sup> Mahan lived in Blount Co Ala, others were dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                              |                 |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Sonsberry Tille              | Hall Co Georgia |
| (2) | William M <sup>c</sup> Mahan |                 |
| (3) |                              |                 |
| (4) |                              |                 |
| (5) |                              |                 |
| (6) |                              |                 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I think not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: The names of my

grandparents & mother Little Deer Sallie  
French / that date

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through "Little Deer Sallie"

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rome Ga. are  
my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William McMahon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31<sup>st</sup>

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J. N. Gush  
Clerk Superior Court  
Chulloga Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. F. Atkins

and R. L. Bennett, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William McMahon  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and  
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. F. Atkins

R. L. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31<sup>st</sup>

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J. N. Gush  
Clerk Superior Court  
Chulloga Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

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No. 36738.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Mrs L. W. Hyatt* and *2* children.

Residence: *Summerville, Ga.*

Reasons: *Naughton's - #15153.*



*Law of the Cherokee Nation*  
*1912*

No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

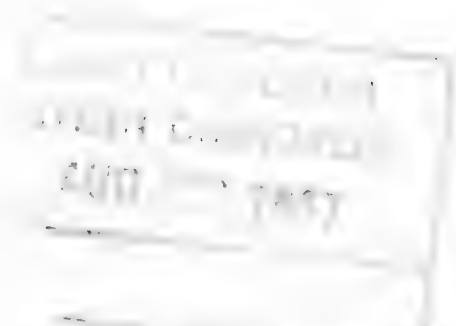
APPLICATION

OF

*Lillie Belle Dye*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. C. DUPUTRON,  
Attorney at Law

WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mrs Lillie Belle Dye

Indian name:

none

2. Residence and post office:

R. F. D. #1 Summerville

3. County:

Chattahoochee

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

23

Born

1884

6. Where were you born?

Polk Co. Georgia

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife or~~ husband:

Joseph Elijah Dye

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.         | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|--------------|-------|
| (1) | Ruby Lee Dye        | 3            | 1904  |
| (2) | Burford Burgess Dye | 1 yr 7 mos   | 1906  |
| (3) |                     | about Jan'y. | 1906  |
| (4) |                     |              |       |
| (5) |                     |              |       |
| (6) |                     |              |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Franklin M<sup>r</sup> Mahan

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Amanda H. M<sup>r</sup> Mahan

Indian name:

none

Maiden name:

Amanda H. Burgess

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Cherokee Co Georgia

Mother:

at State of North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: unborn at that date

Mother: unborn at that date

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                     | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | Dora May Bennet (m. M <sup>c</sup> Mahan) | 1882  |       |
|     | Sumnerville Pa                            |       |       |
| (2) | Marion V. M <sup>c</sup> Mahan            | 1889  |       |
|     | Sumnerville Pa                            |       |       |
| (3) | Carrie E. Duley (m. M <sup>c</sup> Mahan) | 1890  |       |
|     | Rock Springs Pa                           |       |       |
| (4) | Docia C. M <sup>c</sup> Mahan             | 1892  |       |
|     | Sumnerville Pa                            |       |       |
| (5) | Rosalee M <sup>c</sup> Mahan              | 1894  |       |
|     | Sumnerville Pa                            |       |       |
| (6) |   |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James M<sup>c</sup>Mahan

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Burgess

Sallie M<sup>c</sup>Mahan

Mary Burgess (m. Sallie)

18. Where were they born? Sallie M<sup>c</sup>Mahan Cherokee Co Pa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Co Pa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William M<sup>c</sup>Mahan Mountainboro Ala

(2) Elizabeth Evans Dead

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my grandmother  
"Little Deer Sallie" McMahon was living  
at that time I think

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through puternal grandmother  
"Little Deer Sallie" McMahon

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rome, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any amount issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Mrs. Lillie Belle Dye)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31

1908

J. N. Kuss  
Clerk of the Superior Court  
Chattahoochee Co. Georgia  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me B. F. Atkins

and R. L. Bennett who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Lillie Belle Dye

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 9 years and

12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. F. Atkins  
R. L. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31

1908

J. N. Kuss  
Clerk Superior Court  
Chattahoochee Co. Georgia  
Notary Public.

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No. 36739. Action: *Reject.*  
Name: *John R. Wood.* and 6 children. Residence: *Summerville, Ga.*  
Reasons:

*Chair through the same source  
as #32466.*

No. 36739-40

Name

With No. 32466.

Remarks:

Wm. A. Giddis  
Randy J. Stray



No. 10000

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John R. Rood*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. R. ROOD,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

John Rutherford Dodel

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Summersville R. F. D. 1

3. County:

Chattanooga

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

50

Born

1857

6. Where were you born?

Folk Co Tennessee

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife

Lucy Ella Dodel

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Amanda Dodel         | 28   | 1879  |
| (2) | Jessie Dodel Turner  | 26   | 1881  |
| (3) | Dora Dodel Hedrick   | 23   | 1884  |
| (4) | Gordon Francis Dodel | 18   | 1889  |
| (5) | Minnie M. Dodel      | 13   | 1894  |
| (6) | Vernus C. Dodel      | 10   | 1897  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

James Harvey Dodel

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Rebecca Dodel

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Margaret Rebecca Nix

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mc Minn Co Tennessee

Mother:

Bradley Co Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Polk Co Tennessee

Mother: Bradley Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I do not know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | Francis M. Dodd<br>Sumnerville Pa          | 1864  | Alive |
| (2) | Stanley Jam (Dodd) Story<br>Sumnerville Pa | 1866  | Alive |
| (3) | Morgan Lee Dodd                            | 1868  | 1888  |
| (4) |  |       |       |
| (5) |  |       |       |
| (6) |  |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.           | MOTHER'S SIDE.         |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| John Dodd                | Rutherford Pix         |
| Stanley Dodd (McCalhorn) | Lucinda Pix (McHoward) |

18. Where were they born? John Dodd I think McMinn Co Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Stanley Dodd  
Polk Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                      |                    |
|-----|----------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Andrew J. Dodd       | McMinn Co Tenn     |
| (2) | Sarah J. Dodd        | deceased           |
| (3) | Susan (Dodd) Pix     | deceased           |
| (4) | Adeline Dodd         | Chattanooga Tenn   |
| (5) | Lucinda (Dodd) Scott | Hamilton Co Tenn   |
| (6) | John Dodd            | deceased Civil War |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father James Harvey Dodel & grandfathers John Dodel were living at this date in McMin Co Tenn

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my above named grand  
-father  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp, of Rome Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

John Rutherford Dodel

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31st

1908.

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. S. Cleghorn Jr  
and H. A. Brownfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Rutherford Dodel who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John S. Cleghorn Jr  
H. A. Brownfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31st

1908.

Notary Public.

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A. N. Rush  
Clark Superior Court  
Cherokee Co Georgia

No. 36740. Action: *Reject*  
Name *Mary J. Story* and 3. children. Residence *Summerville Ga.*  
Reasons: *Claim through the same source*  
*as # 32466.*



No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mr. Mary J. Perry*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DEPUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Nancy Jane Story (nee Dodel*

Indian name:

*none*

2. Residence and post office:

*R. 7, D. 7, Summerville*

3. County:

*Chattahoochee*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*38*

Born

*1869*

6. Where were you born?

*Murray County Georgia*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ ~~or husband~~:

*husband William Story*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong?

*none*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <i>James Harvey Story</i>  | <i>21</i> | <i>1885</i> |
| (2) | <i>Mary Rebecca Story</i>  | <i>18</i> | <i>1888</i> |
| (3) | <i>Lennie Lucile Story</i> | <i>6</i>  | <i>1903</i> |
| (4) |                            |           |             |
| (5) |                            |           |             |
| (6) |                            |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*James Harvey Dodel*

Indian name:

*none*

Mother—English name:

*Rebecca Dodel*

Indian name:

*none*

Maiden name:

*Rebecca Kix*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Mcmin County Tennessee*

Mother:

*Bradley County Tennessee*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Polk County, Tennessee

Mother: Bradley County, Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I think my father filed claims in 1851 and under DeWitt Commission

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.       | DIED.         |
|-----|--|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>John Rutherford Dodel</u><br><u>Sumnerville, Ga</u> | <u>1857</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (2) | <u>Francis M Dodel</u><br><u>Sumnerville, Ga</u>       | <u>1864</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (3) | <u>Thomas L Dodel</u>                                  | <u>1871</u> | <u>decd</u>   |
| (4) |  |             |               |
| (5) |  |             |               |
| (6) |  |             |               |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                  | MOTHER'S SIDE.                  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>John Dodel</u>               | <u>Rutherford Dix</u>           |
| <u>Paternal grandfather</u>     | <u>Maternal grandfather</u>     |
| <u>Mary Dodel (nee Calhoun)</u> | <u>Lucinda Dix (nee Howard)</u> |
| <u>Paternal grandmother</u>     | <u>Maternal grandmother</u>     |

18. Where were they born? paternal grandmother South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Paternal grandmother  
Mary Dodel (nee Calhoun) in Polk Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                  |                                    |
|-----|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Andrew J. Dodel</u>           | <u>McMinn Co Tenn</u>              |
| (2) | <u>Sarah J. Dodel</u>            | <u>Died McMinn Co Ga</u>           |
| (3) | <u>Susan Dix (nee Dodel)</u>     | <u>Died Chattanooga Co Ga 1889</u> |
| (4) | <u>Mary H. Dodel</u>             | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u>            |
| (5) | <u>Lucinda Scott (nee Dodel)</u> | <u>Chattanooga Tenn</u>            |
| (6) | <u>John Dodel</u>                | <u>died</u>                        |
| 7   | <u>Francis M. Dodel</u>          | <u>decd</u>                        |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my father & Maternal Grandmother were living at that date

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I claim through my father James Hervey Dodd  
J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rome Ga are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy Jane Story

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908.

J. P. Johnston  
Ordinary Chulwoke Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Strange  
and J. B. Ragland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Nancy Jane Story who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John A. Strange  
J. B. Ragland

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908.

J. P. Johnston  
Ordinary Chulwoke Co Georgia  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36741

Action: *Repeled*

Name *Henry Simpson* and *X* children. Residence: *Tucson, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Neither applicant was married, nor married.  
Was not a lawful part of the unit from a person  
who was a party to the treaty of 1856 & 1856  
Claims the Paramount and John Raper.*

#36741

No..

Na.

*With No.*

Remarks :

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Simpkins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Attorney at Law

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No.

36721

Name

Frank Smith

With No.

Remarks :

Claim this

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*(Not on rolls)*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

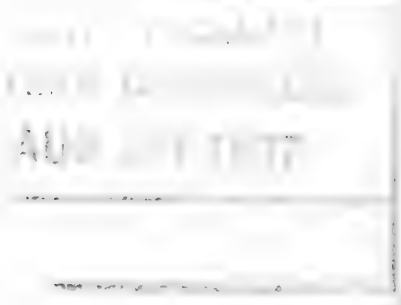
APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Simpkins*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. C. DUFFY, JR.,  
Attorney at Law

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

*Sarah Simpkins*  
I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.        | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------|------|-------|
| (1) | W. J. Harris | 36   | 1871  |
| (2) | J. B. Harris | 34   | 1873  |
| (3) | B. B. Harris | 32   | 1875  |
| (4) | Lafayette    | 29   | 1878  |
| (5) | J. J. Harris | 27   | 1880  |
| (6) | Arthur       | 25   | 1882  |
|     | Mary Harris  | 24   | 1885  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in the year 1904

Mother: in the year 1897

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes some time about the year 1871

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.          | BORN. | DIED.  |
|-----|----------------|-------|--------|
| (1) | William Sully  | 1854  | 1900   |
|     | Richard Sully  | 1859  | 1859   |
| (2) | Jane Sully     | 1859  | living |
| (3) | Marionna Ford  | 1891  | living |
| (4) | Mary Smith     | 1868  | living |
| (5) | Mattie Jenkins | 1894  | living |
| (6) |                |       |        |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|----------------|----------------|
| William Sully  | Richard Sully  |
|                | Robert         |

18. Where were they born? Ireland don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|                   |                 |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| (1) Elmer Sully   | don't know the  |
| (2) Nancy Higgins | residence of my |
| (3) Mary Prater   | of the town     |
| (4) Daniel Sully  | of living       |
| (5) Nellie Quinn  |                 |
| (6) Rachel Prater |                 |
| Elizabeth Sully   |                 |
| Louisa Higgins    |                 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes in 1890

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

my great grand mother  
was a Randalph and a direct descendant  
of Iacahuntis

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

X Sarah Simpkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

J. J. Anderson J.P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. H. Humberbuck

and

H. A. Ross

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mrs Sarah Simpkins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Humberbuck  
H. A. Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 1, 1909.

J. J. Anderson J.P.  
Notary Public.

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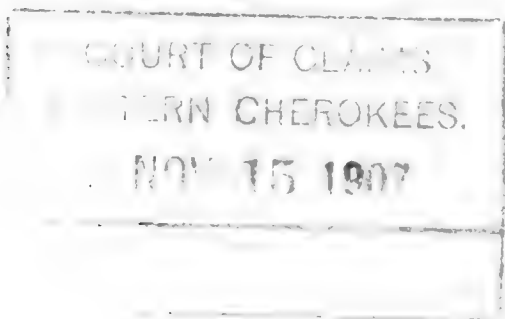


36741

Sarah Simpkins.

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Cherokee Land.





W. B. Kelley and Darthoula Kelley, nee Snow, who  
are alleged to have both been enrolled, had,

|        |                    |       |
|--------|--------------------|-------|
| a.     | Sarah Simpkins     | 36741 |
| a.a.   | Mary House         | 36744 |
| a.a.a. | Effie Lee House    | "     |
| a.a.b. | Ora House          | "     |
| a.a.c. | Fannie Pear House  | "     |
| a.b.   | James Henry Norris | 41399 |
| a.b.a. | Stella Norris      | "     |
| a.b.b. | Maud Norris        | "     |
| a.b.c. | Willy Bell Norris  | "     |
| a.c.   | Mary Norris        | 36743 |
| a.d.   | Walter Norris      | 36742 |
| a.e.   | Ira Z. Norris      | 41902 |
| a.e.a. | Maud Norris        | "     |
| a.f.   | Larajette Norris   | 41393 |
| a.f.a. | Octavia Norris     | "     |
| a.g.   | Robert B. Norris   | 41900 |
| a.g.a. | Wesley Norris      | "     |

NOV. 15, 1907

Respectfully submitted,

*Med. Petron.*

*Darthoula Kelley nee Snow - was a  
daughter of Rebecca Snow - all  
these Elders is it claimed were  
Enrolled.*

41902

App. No. 41902.

September 20, 1907.

Sarah Simpkins,

Trion, Georgia.

Madam:

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact date of the birth of Maud Norris, minor child of J. Z. Norris, your son, stating the day, month, and year.

Also state the full name<sup>s</sup> of J. Z. Norris: J. H. Norris, and F. B. Norris.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Ap. No. 38741.

November 27, 1907.

J. J. De Wilson,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Relative to the application of Sarah Stirling, No. 38741, it  
should be noted that an examination of the rolls of the  
Army of the United States, 1861-1865, shows that she was  
born in 1841 or 1842. She is a widow and has no children.  
She is now residing at No. 1212, 15th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.  
She is a native of Virginia and has been married to a  
man who died in 1898.

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She is a native of Virginia and has been married to a man who  
died in 1898. She is now a widow and has no children.

Very respectfully,

Wm. H. De Wilson.



Appl. #36741

May 7, 1908.

Earl Simkins,  
Trion, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the Eastern Cherokee Band, please state whether you,  
your father, or grandfathers were married with the  
Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you,  
your father, or grandfathers possessed of white people,  
Indian or negro, in the Cherokee tribe which you are  
claiming to belong?

If you are a recent immigrant, when you claim not an-  
cestor of 1845, and therefore to be admitted in  
1845-50, the living of that time. Were your grand-  
father or grandfather in the Cherokee tribe which you claim residing in

If your father or grandfathers were white, state  
whether they of Indian or white race.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

C/S/D

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Georgia May 13-05  
 Mr J. Deputon  
 Sir the commissioners  
 of the court of claims  
 has ask me some question  
 concerning my claim and  
 this my answer. The first  
 ask him how I know my grand  
 father first resided in Ga  
 and how I came to  
 move to Georgia and my  
 father's full name was  
 Parthenus S. Swan and my  
 in home's name was my  
 blood they were married the  
 year 1844 and was borned  
 in 1800 now my grand  
 mother Swan has all my  
 claim to be an Indian and  
 come down from Joseph  
 Monto's son John Hoff and

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Handed my grandfather  
my father was allways  
planned to be mixed with  
with indian not me. I was  
as I see of as to their in-  
ment at that time I dont no  
my mother. Borned in. raje  
my grandfather 1825 as  
my grandfather went from  
as to many so georgia an  
now you can see my father  
for many years about  
as to why they were not in  
1851 I dont no as I was not  
borned till 1855 as all my  
grandfather had all been  
long in an my father  
that I wanted to be a lawyer  
be yours respect all  
John Simpson  
Tion ga  
I send you this letter

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Sarah Sumpkins

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J. E. Smith  
11th 6 1881  
W. C. Smith

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Appl. #36741

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 7, 1908.

Sarah Simpkins,  
Trion, Ga.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state whether you, your parents, or grandparents ever resided with the Cherokee tribe. If so, state when and where. Were you, your parents, and grandparents recognized as white people, Indians or negroes in the communities in which you and they have resided?

Why was the parent through whom you claim not enrolled in 1851, and where was he or she residing in 1834-35, if living at that time? Where were your grandparents on the side through which you claim residing in 1834-35?

If your parents or grandparents were slaves, state whether slaves of Indians or white people.

Very respectfully,

*James Miller*  
Special Commissioner

CEB/ALS



App. No. 36741

1. Do you make claim on your mother's or father's side?
2. State your father's Indian name if he had one.  
State your mother's Indian name if she had one.
3. Where did your parents reside at the time of their death?
4. Where did they live in 1851.
5. What was your grandmother's name on your father's side? If she had an Indian name, give that also.
6. What was your grandfather's name on your mother's side. If he had an Indian name, what was it?
7. Were your grandparents living in 1851? If so, where?
8. When did your great grandmother Randolph die? Did she have an Indian name, and what was it?

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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App. No. 36741

*Sarah Simpkins*

1. Do you make claim on your mother's or father's side?

*mother's side*

2. State your father's Indian name if he had one.  
State your mother's Indian name if she had one.

*Don't know father's name. She was a French*

3. Where did your parents reside at the time of their death?

*my mother died in a hospital at  
New York City in 1851*

4. Where did they live in 1851.

5. What was your grandmother's name on your father's side? If she had an Indian name, give that also.

*She was a French Indian name*

6. What was your grandfather's name on your mother's side. If he had an Indian name, what was it?

*Randolph an Indian name Yelph*

7. Were your grandparents living in 1851? If so, where?

*My mother's father*

8. When did your great grandmother Randolph die? Did she have an Indian name, and what was it?

*Don't know  
her Indian blood from the French  
Randolph's name was*

Signature

*Sarah Simpkins*

No. 36742

Action: *Repeled*

Name *Walter Brown*

and *2* children.

Residence: *Tucson, Ariz.*

Reasons:

*has been in the U.S. since 1911 and claims the same since then.*

36742

No. 36742

Name Walter Morris

With No. Heavy file

Remarks : 36741

No. 10712

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Walter Norris*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. E. DUPUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Walter Morris*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Prion*

3. County:

*Chattanooga*

4. State:

*Georgia*

5. How old are you?

*28*

Born

*June 22 1884*

6. Where were you born?

*Chattanooga county Ga*

7. Are you married?

*yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Rosy Morris age 21 years*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*James Morris*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Sarah Morris*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Sarah Kelly*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Marshall county Alabama*

Mother:

*Whitfield county Georgia*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Murray County Georgia

Mother: Murray County Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in the year 1888

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

I am where near the date 1890  
with the Cherokee Tribe

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.          | DIED.       |
|-----|-------------------|----------------|-------------|
| (1) | William Morris    | July 19 1841   | alive       |
| (2) | Henry Morris      | March 13 1843  | alive       |
| (3) | Robert Morris     | April 27 1845  | alive       |
| (4) | Lafayette Morris  | August 23 1848 | alive       |
| (5) | Frank G. Morris   | Jan 20 1880    | alive       |
|     | Partington Morris | Sept 15 1882   | Nov 25 1902 |
| (6) | Mary Morris       | Aug 20 1883    | alive       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
W B Kelly

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
Partington Kelly

18. Where were they born?

W B Kelly born in South Carolina

19. Where they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Partington Kelly born in Bogart to Sam

and know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                 |                      |
|-----|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | Levi A. Simpson | Irwin Ga             |
| (2) | Richard Kelly   | Ida                  |
| (3) | William Kelly   | Ida                  |
| (4) | Jane Hartley    | Irwin Ga             |
| (5) | Mary A. Ford    | Chattanooga South Ga |
| (6) | Mary Smith      | Chattanooga Ga       |
|     | Mary Gentry     | Chattanooga Ga       |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand Parents, masherpetfuler

WB Wiley Born in the year 1834 Father Wiley  
Mammas Parthory Snow was born in 1828

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the  
prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for  
any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Walter Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

J. G. Anderson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1st, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. Funderburk  
and H. A. Ross, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Walter A. Harris  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Funderburk  
H. A. Ross

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My commission expires

July 1st, 1909. J. G. Anderson  
Notary Public.

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No. 36742

Action: *Rep. Ad.*

Name *Mary Howe*

and

*1*

children.

Residence:

*Tuon, C.A.*

Reasons:

*August 1, 1874 and claim this same name*

No. 36743

Name Mary Morris

With No. 36741

Remarks : 36741



No. 0174

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Norris*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. C. DAVENPORT,  
SILVER SPRING, MD.  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mary Harris

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Grin

3. County:

Chattanooga

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

24

Born

1883

6. Where were you born?

Chattanooga Tenn

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

J. Harris

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Sarah Simpkins

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Sarah Kelly

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Alabama

Mother:

Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in the year 1888

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: yes in the year 1890

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN. | DIED. |       |
|-----|------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | W. J. Norris     | 1841  | alive |       |
| (2) | Henry Norris     | 1841  | 3     | alive |
| (3) | B. B. Norris     | 1845  | alive |       |
| (4) | Lafayette Norris | 1848  | alive |       |
| (5) | J. J. Norris     | 1880  | alive |       |
| (6) | Elizabeth Norris | 1882  | dead  |       |
|     | Walter Norris    | 1884  | alive |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James Norris  
Mary Ann Norris  
Maudie

MOTHER'S SIDE.

W. B. Kelly  
Dorothy Ann

18. Where were they born? in S. C. to the first white Bay of Indians

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |       |
|-----|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Richard Kelly | dead  |
| (2) | William Kelly | dead  |
| (3) | John Norton   | alive |
| (4) | Marion Ford   | alive |
| (5) | Mary Smith    | alive |
| (6) | Mable Kelly   | alive |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Sevigny Ga

yes in Chalunga

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

William B. Kelly  
James Harris

{

James L. Harris  
Sarah Harris

{ Parents

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Harris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of Aug 1907.

J. J. Anderson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. H. Funderburk

and

H. A. Ross

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Mary Harris

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Funderburk  
H. A. Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909.

J. J. Anderson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36744.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *May House*

and 2 children.

Residence: *Mon, Ga.*

Reasons:

#36744  
It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846. Shows no real connection with the Eastern Cherokees.

*Wise. Test. P. 1119.*

Chattanooga Co. Tenn.

No. 367414

Name Mary House

With No.

Remarks:

that are rolls.

Examined at  
Chattanooga Ga.  
July 6, 1881.



No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*May House*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1900.

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A.C. DOUGHTON

Secretary of the Interior

WASHINGTON, D.C.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: May House

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Trovi, Georgia.

3. County: Chattooga

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 27 Born Sept 4 1879

6. Where were you born? in Talk County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 30 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.            | BORN.       |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Effie Luffner</u>   | <u>seven</u>    | <u>1900</u> |
| (2) | <u>Ora House</u>       | <u>five</u>     | <u>1902</u> |
| (3) | <u>Fannie Parhouse</u> | <u>8 months</u> | <u>1907</u> |
| (4) | _____                  | _____           | _____       |
| (5) | _____                  | _____           | _____       |
| (6) | _____                  | _____           | _____       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Blackman Sisk

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Susie Jane Sisk

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Susie Sisk

12. Where were they born?

Father: Talk County Tenn

Mother: Talk County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Palk county Tenn

Father: Palk county Tenn

Mother: Palk county Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: in the year 1887

Mother: in the year 1887

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.       | DIED.         |
|-----|--|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Angeline Brown</u>                            | <u>1844</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (2) | <u>William Sisk</u>                              | <u>1846</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (3) | <u>John Sisk</u>                                 | <u>1848</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (3) | <u>my great grand mother on my mother's side</u> |             |               |
|     | <u>Polly Sisk and a full blood Cherokee</u>      |             |               |
| (4) | <u>maison</u>                                    |             |               |
| (5) |  |             |               |
| (6) |  |             |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Henry Sisk

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Silas Sisk

18. Where were they born? Palk County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Palk county Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                      |               |
|-----|----------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>John Sisk</u>     | <u>living</u> |
| (2) | <u>Polly Sisk</u>    | <u>living</u> |
| (3) | <u>William Sisk</u>  | <u>living</u> |
| (4) | <u>Angeline Sisk</u> | <u>living</u> |
| (5) | <u>John Sisk</u>     | <u>living</u> |
| (6) | <u>maison</u>        | <u>living</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my Grand Parents never  
my Parents were born and lived all their  
life in Belk county in my father both love them and

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~J. G. De Putron of Washington, D.C. is my recognized attorney in the~~  
~~prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for~~  
~~any warrant issued in settlement.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) x May House  
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

J. J. Anderson J. P.  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. I. Fleming  
and Henry Fleming, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with May House  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and  
years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

x H. I. Fleming  
x Henry Fleming

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1909. J. J. Anderson J. P.  
Notary Public.

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May House

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Office of U.S. Court of  
Claims Special Commissioner  
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Respectfully  
Macy House

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | MAY 14 1908 |
| No.                                   |             |

No. 36744.

May House, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is May House: I was born in Folk Co., Tenn.;  
1870: I claim my Indian blood through my mother: I claim no  
Indian blood through my father: my mother's maiden name was  
Susie Cook: my mother was born in Folk Co., Tenn. 1848;  
my mother got her Indian blood from her mother, whose maiden  
name was Martha Cook: my grandmother was born in Folk Co., Tenn.;  
1805: I am unable to trace my ancestry farther back than my  
grandmother: I have heard that my grandmother lived with the  
Cherokee Indians in Folk Co., Tenn.: both I and the ancestors  
through whom I claim have always been regarded as white people  
with an admixture of Cherokee Indian blood: none of the ancestors  
through whom I claim were ever held as slaves: in 1845 and 1851  
the ancestors through whom I claim lived in Folk Co., Tenn.;  
none of the ancestors through whom I claim nor I were ever enrolled  
or received any money, land or other benefits that I know of;  
none of my ancestors through whom I claim ever had an Indian name;

May House

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Chattanooga, Ga.,  
this 6th day of July, 1908.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

No. 36745

Name

*W. H. H. H.*

and



children.

Residence:

Action:

*Residential*

*W. H. H. H.*

Reasons:

*W. H. H. H.*

No. 36745

Name. *Peter Head*

With No. *W. L. Moore 3*

Remarks :

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Polly Neal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J.C. DePUTROL  
Secretary of the  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Pally Neal

Indian name:

Ringgold

2. Residence and post office:

Chattooga

3. County:

Georgia

4. State:

5. How old are you?

77

Born

1830

6. Where were you born?

Pickens County S.C.

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

William Neal 74

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

no

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE. | BORN.          |
|-----|------------------------|------|----------------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal             | 55   | 1852           |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan (decd) | 53   | 1854           |
| (3) | John M. Neal           | 51   | Sept. 19. 1856 |
| (4) | Callie F. Plmons       | 49   | 1858           |
| (5) | Alleila Brockman       | 46   | 1861           |
| (6) | May Winkler            | 39   | 1865           |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

John Corbin

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Alleila Corbin

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Alleila Whitmire

12. Where were they born?

Father:

South Carolina

Mother:

11

11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

yes Delila Whitmire my mother is on the roll

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                       | BORN.      | DIED.      |
|-----|---|------------|------------|
| (1) | Martha Adkins<br>Patey Adkins<br>all.       |            | about 1892 |
| (2) | Polly Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.                 | 1830       |            |
| (3) | Rachel Ray                                  |            | about 1901 |
| (4) | Benjamin Corbin<br>Min Dallas Texas & thick |            |            |
| (5) | Abbie Crow<br>Susan Anderson<br>Greely, Ga. |            |            |
| (6) | Joseph Corbin                               | about 1860 | about 1860 |

Side of: Joseph Corbin - died in 1863  
Newborn Corbin - died in 1866  
Charles Corbin - died in 1868  
all.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

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16. Name

17. State

18. When

19. When

20. Give

(1)

(2)

(3)

Jasper Corbin - died in 1863  
Newton Corbin " " 1886  
Sis. A. Edwards died 1890

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - John Corbin and Delila Corbin nee Whitman.

I claim through my mother who is Delila Whitman  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. C. DePitron and Co. of Washington D. C. and Shuyt & Shuyt of Rome, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Polly Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug 1907.

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909

Clerk Superior Court

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. DePitron  
and Gas B. Pennington who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Polly Neal  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. DePitron

Gas B. Pennington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1st

1909

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

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No. 36746

Action:

Rejected

Name

Wahla Brockman and

children.

Residence:

Springgold, Va.

Reasons:

Intimate Acquaintance

36746

No. 267-6

Name *James P. ...*

With No. *11-11-11*

Remarks :



*Done July 1, 1906*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Delila Brockman*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. C. DUPUTRON  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Delila Brockman

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Ringgold

3. County:

Catoosa

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

26

Born

1861

6. Where were you born?

Pickens Co. - Ga.

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Fred S. Brockman

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

No

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William Neal

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Pally Neal

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Pally Corbin

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

North Carolina  
South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co - S.C.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal<br>Danbar, Ala.             | 1852  |       |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan<br>deat                |       | 1887  |
| (3) | John M. Neal<br>Ringgold, S.C.         | 1856  |       |
| (4) | Cellie H. Plmons<br>Korlers Mill, S.C. | 1858  |       |
| (5) | Lehila Brockman<br>Ringgold            | 1861  |       |
| (6) | May Winkler<br>Ringgold                | 1865  |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Corbin  
Lehila Corbin nee  
Whitman

18. Where were they born? John Corbin S.C. Lehila Corbin

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Lehila Corbin nee Whitman Pickens Co - S.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                 |                |
|-----|-----------------|----------------|
| (1) | Martha J. Adams | deat           |
| (2) | Polly Neal      | Ringgold, S.C. |
| (3) | Rachel Ray      | deat           |
| (4) | Reuben Corbin   | Winkman        |
| (5) | Susan Anderson  | Greely, S.C.   |
| (6) | Abbie Crow      |                |
|     | Jasper Corbin   | deat           |
|     | Newton Corbin   | "              |
|     | Joseph Corbin   | "              |
|     | Sis D. Edwards  | "              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - William Neal and Pally Neal nee Corbin - Grand Parents - John Corbin and Delila Corbin nee Whitmire - I claim through my mother Pally Neal the daughter of Delila Corbin nee Whitmire

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. E. DePatron & Co of Washington D.C and Shy & Shy of Rome, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Delila Brockman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May 1907.

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. E. Kix

and

Gas B. Brundage

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Delila Brockman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. E. Kix

Gas B. Brundage

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of May, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

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No. 6747

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Mr. [illegible]* and 1 children. Residence: *1000 1st St. N.*

Reasons: *Future Case*

1000 1st St. N.

No. 36177

Name John J. ...

With No. *1* . . . . .

Remarks :



No. 10717

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*May Winkler*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. C. DePUTRON  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.              | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|--------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Delila May Winkler | 16   | 1891  |
| (2) |                    |      |       |
| (3) |                    |      |       |
| (4) |                    |      |       |
| (5) |                    |      |       |
| (6) |                    |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Pickens Co - Ga.

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                    | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------|-------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal<br>Lamar, Ga.                 | 1852  |       |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan<br>Kear                  |       | 1882  |
| (3) | John M. Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.            | 1856  |       |
| (4) | Cellie H. Plomous<br>Horseshoe Mill, Ga. | 1858  |       |
| (5) | Helila Brockman<br>Ringgold              | 1861  |       |
| (6) | Georgia                                  |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Corbin  
Helila Corbin nee Whitman

18. Where were they born?

John Corbin S.C. Helila Corbin

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

John Corbin died

Helila Corbin nee Whitman - Pickens Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |               |
|-----|------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Martha J. Adkins | died          |
| (2) | Polly Neal       | Ringgold, Ga. |
| (3) | Rachel Ray       | died          |
| (4) | Reuben Corbin    | unknown       |
| (5) | Hobie Crow       |               |
| (6) | Susan Anderson   | Greets, Ga.   |
|     | Janper Corbin    | died          |
|     | Joseph Corbin    | "             |
|     | Newton Corbin    | "             |
|     | Ed - Edwards     | "             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - William Neal and Pelly Neal nee Corbin - Grand Parents - John Corbin and Delila Corbin nee Whitmore - I claim through my mother Pelly Neal the daughter of Delila Corbin nee Whitmore

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. C. De Patron of Washington D. C. and Sheriff of Reno, N. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

May Winkler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Skiff

and Geo B. Pendleton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with May Winkler

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Skiff

Geo B. Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909.

D. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

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No. 36748

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Wm M. Neal* and *6* children. Residence: *Pinigold, Va*

Reasons:

*Whitmore Case*

No. 36748

Name John W. Smith

With No. 70-6981-1

Remarks :

*[Faint handwritten notes]*



*See letterhead*  
No. 107-215

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John M. Neal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.            | AGE. | BORN.         |
|-----|------------------|------|---------------|
|     | Ben E. Neal      | 24   | Aug. 20. 1882 |
| (1) | Polly Ann Dorris | 22   | June 1885     |
|     | Louie P. Bearden | 20   | 1887          |
| (2) | Johnnie May Neal | 18   | 1889          |
| (3) | Georgia Neal     | 16   | 1891          |
| (4) | Lee Neal         | 14   | 1893          |
| (5) | Ester Neal       | 5    | 1898          |
| (6) | Charlie Neal     | 4    | 1903          |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pickens Co. - S.C.

Mother: 1. 1. 1.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 1. 1.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                   | BORN.        | DIED.      |
|-----|---|--------------|------------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal<br>Lamar, Ala.               | 1852         |            |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan<br>died                 | 1854         | 1897 about |
| (3) | John M. Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.           | 1856 Sept 18 |            |
| (4) | Cellie F. Plummer<br>Hasslers Mill, Ga. | 1858         |            |
| (5) | Delila Brockman<br>Ringgold, Ga.        | 1861         |            |
| (6) | May Winkler<br>Ringgold, Ga.            | 1863         |            |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Corbin ad  
Delila Corbin nee Whitman

18. Where were they born?

John Corbin, S.C. Delila Corbin

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

John Corbin died.  
Delila Whitman in Pickens Co. - S.C. I think

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |               |
|-----|------------------|---------------|
| (1) | Martha J. Adkins | died          |
| (2) | Polly Neal       | Ringgold, Ga. |
| (3) | Rachel Ray       | died          |
| (4) | Burton Corbin    | unknown       |
| (5) | Appie Crow       |               |
| (6) | Susan Anderson   | Breeley, Ga.  |
|     | Joseph Corbin    | died          |
|     | Garfer Corbin    | "             |
|     | Newton Corbin    | "             |
|     | Liz M. Edwards   | "             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Ms

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents William Neal and Polly Neal nee Corbin - Grand Parents - John Corbin and Delila Corbin nee Whitman. I claim through my mother Polly Neal the daughter of Delila Corbin nee Whitman

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. C. McPatton and Co. of Washington D. C. and Shuf + Shuf of Rose, Ga. as my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14

day of

Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1st

1909.

D. A. Trumelle  
Clerk Superior Court

Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. McPatton

and

Geo. B. Pendleton

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John W. Neal

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. McPatton

Geo. B. Pendleton

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1907.

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D. A. Trumelle  
Clerk Superior Court

Notary Public.

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No. 36749

Action:

*Rejected*

Name

*Ben E. Neal*

and

X

children.

Residence:

*Ringgold, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Whitmore file*

36749

No. 541-18

Name - E. A. Smith

With No. 111-116-100

Remarks :



No. \_\_\_\_\_

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

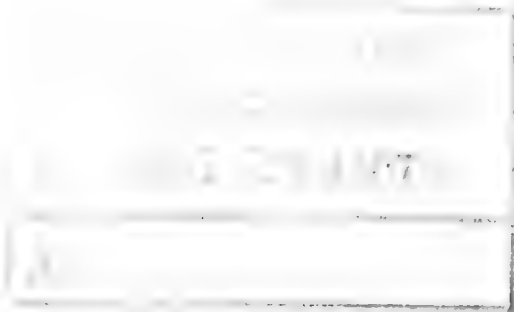
APPLICATION

OF

*Ben E. Neal*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. C. DePUTRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ben C. Neal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Ringgold

3. County: Catoosa

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 24

Born

Aug. 20, 1882

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Co. - Ga. -

No

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: John M. Neal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Neal

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha Bazeman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Pickens Co. - Ga. -

Mother: Cherokee Co. - Ga. -

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN.     | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Polly Ann Lanier<br>Rome, Ga.        | June 1885 |       |
| (2) | Lonie O. Bearden<br>Chattanooga, Ten | 1887      |       |
| (3) | Johnnie May Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.    | 1889      |       |
| (4) | Georgia Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.        | 1891      |       |
| (5) | Lee Neal<br>Ringgold, Ga.            | 1893      |       |
| (6) | Ester Neal<br>Charlie Neal           | 1898      |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| William Neal          |                |
| Polly Neal nee Corbin |                |

18. Where were they born? William Neal N.C. - Polly Neal S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Pickens Co - Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                   |                                      |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------------------------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal        | Lamar, Ala.                          |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan   | Neal                                 |
| (3) | John M. Neal      | Ringgold, Ga.                        |
| (4) | Albina Brockman   | <del>Harlow Mill, Ga.</del> Ringgold |
| (5) | Collie F. Plummer | Harlow Mill, Ga.                     |
| (6) | May Winkler       | Ringgold, Ga.                        |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - John M. Neal and Martha Neal - Grand Parents - William Neal and Polly Neal nee Corbin - Great Grand Parents - John Corbin and Delila Corbin nee Whitmore - I claim through my great grand mother Delila Whitmore  
REMARKS:  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. C. McPutron and Co. of Washington D. C. and Sheriff & Sheriff of Rose, Ia. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ben E. Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

L. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909.

Clerk Superior Court

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. McPutron

and Gas B. Pendleton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ben E. Neal

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and

4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. McPutron

Gas B. Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1909.

L. A. Trundle

Notary Public.

Clerk Superior Court

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No. 36750

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Simon Morgan* and *X* children. Residence: *Riggold, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Whitmore file*

36750

No. 36750

Name *Almon Morgan*

With No. *W. T. W. file*

Remarks :

*From ...*

*100 ...*

*...*



No. 1200

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Solomon Morgan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

The Mother and father of the children of Sarah B. Morgan are both dead. Saloman Morgan makes this for himself and for his minor child as also on the guardian and next friend of his minor brother

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

- (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Laws Co. Ga.

Mother: Not yet born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1885

Mother: 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                         | BORN.   | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------------|---------|-------|
| (1) | Ben Morgan<br>Ringgold Ga.    | 1887-20 | 78    |
| (2) | Texanna Morgan<br>Lamar, Ga.  | 1889-18 |       |
| (3) | Georgia Morgan<br>Ringgold    | 1891-16 |       |
| (4) | Abbie Morgan<br>Ringgold, Ga. | 1894-13 |       |
| (5) |                               |         |       |
| (6) |                               |         |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Neal and  
Polly Neal nee Corbin

18. Where were they born?

William Neal - North Carolina  
Polly Neal - South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |                     |
|-----|------------------|---------------------|
| (1) | Nancy Neal       | Lamar, Ga.          |
| (2) | Sarah B. Morgan  | deceased            |
| (3) | John M. Neal     | Ringgold            |
| (4) | Callie F. Plenor | Hartless Mills, Ga. |
| (5) | Letitia Brockman | Ringgold, Ga.       |
| (6) | Mary Winkler     | Ringgold            |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - Sarah B. Morgan  
nee Neal - Grand Parents - Polly Neal nee Corbin -  
Great Grand Parents - Allie Corbin nee Whitman -

my claim is through Sarah B. Morgan

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J. C. Ne Patrons and Co - Washington D. C. and Shurt Shurt  
of Rome, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in signed the papers  
of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Salomon Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Jan. 1st 1909.

D. A. Trundle  
Clerk Superior Court, Notary Public.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. M. Neal  
and Jas B. Pendleton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Salomon Morgan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and  
4 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Neal  
Jas B. Pendleton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 1st 1909.

D. A. Trundle  
Clerk Superior Court, Notary Public.

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No. 36751

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Polly C. Davis* and *2* children. Residence: *Rome, Ga.*

Reasons: *Maternal case.*

36751

No. 3671

Name.....

With No. 24

Remarks :

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11. 11.  
12. 12.



Y  
G. dan Polly Neal.

No. 51531

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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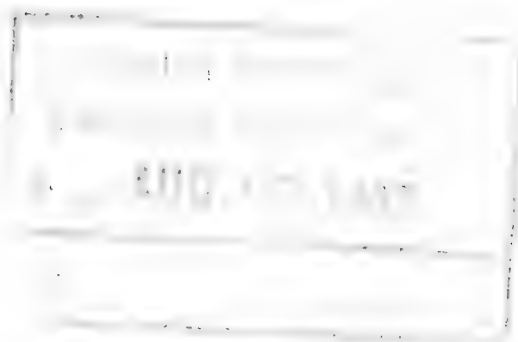
APPLICATION

OF

*Polly Ann Davis*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



J. C. DEXTER, JR.

Attorney at Law

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.        | AGE. | BORN.            |
|-----|--------------|------|------------------|
| (1) | Chyde Davis  | 2    | Aug - 12, 1901 - |
| (2) | Luther Davis | 2    | 1905             |
| (3) |              |      |                  |
| (4) |              |      |                  |
| (5) |              |      |                  |
| (6) |              |      |                  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                      | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <del>Polly</del> <u>Amie &amp; Bearden</u> | <u>1887</u> |       |
|     | <u>Chattanooga, Tenn</u>                   |             |       |
| (2) | <u>Ben E. Neal</u>                         | <u>1883</u> |       |
|     | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>                       |             |       |
| (3) | <u>Johnnie May Neal</u>                    | <u>1889</u> |       |
|     | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>                       |             |       |
| (4) | <u>Georgia Neal</u>                        | <u>1891</u> |       |
|     | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>                       |             |       |
| (5) | <u>Lee Neal</u>                            | <u>1893</u> |       |
|     | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>                       |             |       |
| (6) | <u>Ester Neal</u>                          | <u>1898</u> |       |
|     | <u>Charlie Neal</u>                        | <u>1903</u> |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|------------------------------|----------------|
| <u>William Neal</u>          |                |
| <u>Polly Neal nee Corbin</u> |                |

18. Where were they born? William Neal N.C. - Polly Neal - S.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Pickens Co - S.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                         |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Marcy Neal</u>        | <u>Lamar, Ala.</u>      |
| (2) | <u>Sarah B. Morgan</u>   | <u>dead</u>             |
| (3) | <u>John M. Neal</u>      | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>    |
| (4) | <u>Abella Brockman</u>   | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Callie F. Plummer</u> | <u>Harris Mill, Ga.</u> |
| (6) | <u>Mary Winkler</u>      | <u>Ringgold, Ga.</u>    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - John M. Neal and Martha

Neal - Grand Parents - William Neal and Polly Neal nee Corbin.  
Great Grand Parents - John Corbin and Adetila Corbin nee  
Whitman - I claim through my Great Grand Mother Adetila  
Corbin nee Whitman -  
REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. L. De Puy & Co. of Washington D. C. and Shuford & Shuford  
Rome, Ga. - are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution  
of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Polly Ann Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

Walter Harris  
Notary Public

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. G. Davis

and H. C. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Polly Ann Davis who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 8 years and one years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. G. Davis

H. C. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 31, 1908 Walter Harris  
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36752

Action:

Rejected

Name Carrie C. Dutton and X children.

Residence:

Atlanta Ga.

Reasons:

Maternal Case.

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No. 56752

Name W. G. H. H.

*With No.*

Remarks :



*Jan 1898 to 1906*

No. 10710

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Carrie E. Hutton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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J. C. DePITRON,  
Attorney at Law  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Carrie C. Shotton

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Atlanta, Ga. #42 Flat Shoals Road

3. County:

Fulton  
Georgia

4. State:

5. How old are you?

28

Born

June 15, 1879

6. Where were you born?

Forsyth Co. Ga

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Richard S. Shotton, 30 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

No children

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

William A. Whitmore

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Nancy E. Whitmore

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Nancy E. Glass

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Forsyth Co. Georgia

Mother:

Forsyth Co Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Not yet born

Mother:

" " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Living

Mother:

Died October 30th 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1)

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

William M. Whitmore - Aug. 21, 1880

Atlanta, Ga.

(2)

Emma J. Whitmore - Oct. 13, 1882

(3)

Dasie L. Whitmore Feb. 21, 1888

Atlanta, Ga.

(4)

Thomas J. Whitmore June 2, 1891

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Matison Whitmore

Hannah Jane Whitmore

~~James Matison Whitmore~~

~~Hannah Jane Whitmore~~

18. Where were they born?

James Matison Whitmore - Pickens Co. S.C.

Hannah Jane Whitmore - Cherokee Co. Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Florsyth Co. - Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

John A. Whitmore

(2)

Sarah M. Whitmore

(3)

George C. Whitmore

(4)

Rever R. Whitmore

(5)

Willie C. Perry

(6)

Martha Ann Barnwell

Augustus S. Jones

Thomas W. Whitmore

James J. Whitmore

Charlie P. Whitmore

Joseph W. Whitmore

Albert L. Whitmore

Evaline Mauldin

Thomas Matison  
Charles Whitmore

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Florence Hartman  
Luella Whitman

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - William A. Whitmire and Nancy E. Whitmire. S. P. James Matison Whitmire and S. P. Christopher Whitmire - S. P. Samuel Whitmire. Christopher Whitmire was the brother of Abila Whitmire.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
J. L. DePutor and Co. of Washington D. C. are my recognized attorneys in the proceedings of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Carrie E. Dutton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

W. J. Laney  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 9<sup>th</sup> 1911, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and Carrie E. Dutton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

6 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Chas. J. Moore

Effie Reynolds

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 9<sup>th</sup> 1911, 1907.

W. J. Laney  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



George Barker  
860 1403 77 "H.P. Tuller"

No 3675-3

Action: *Repet*

Name *Jennie A. Hensley* and

children. Residence: *Locust Oak*

Reason: *Sister of 313025;*

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No. 36 753

Name

J. E. Threlby

With No.

33725

Remarks:

No. 36753

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

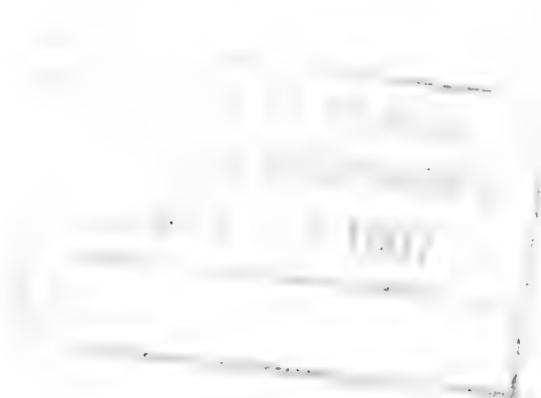
APPLICATION

OF

Miss Jennie L. Timmer

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Miss Jennie Ann Kinsley

Indian name: Miss Jennie Ann Chridge

2. Residence and post office: Locross

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? 24 Born January 1882

6. Where were you born? Mountain View, Ark.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: George Kinsley 25

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She - Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: John and

|     | NAME.       | AGE.           | BORN. |
|-----|-------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>John</u> | <u>Sept 21</u> |       |
| (2) |             | <u>1909</u>    |       |
| (3) |             |                |       |
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| (5) |             |                |       |
| (6) |             |                |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: James Marion Kinsley

Indian name: James Marion Kinsley

Mother—English name: Samintha Sue Lack

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Samintha Sue Lack

12. Where were they born?

Father: Big Flat Arkansas

Mother: Big Flat Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: January 7 1903

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | Margaret Catherine | Sept 7 1854 | 3     |
|     | Henry              | born only   |       |
| (2) | James C Corbet     | Esridge     | Dead  |
|     | Margtha            | Margtha     |       |
| (3) | Harriet            | April 1854  |       |
|     | George Washington  | Esridge     | Dead  |
| (4) | James              |             |       |
|     | James              | 1854        |       |
| (5) |                    | born only   |       |
|     |                    | 9/18/83     |       |
| (6) | James Elizabeth    | Esridge     | Dead  |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Mattie Callahan  
and Rhoda Jane Jackson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Jenie Ann Hensley  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for two years and  
two years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person She represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mattie Callahan  
\_\_\_\_\_ Rhoda Jane Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Aug., 1907.

My commission expires May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

Notary Public.

NOTE. — Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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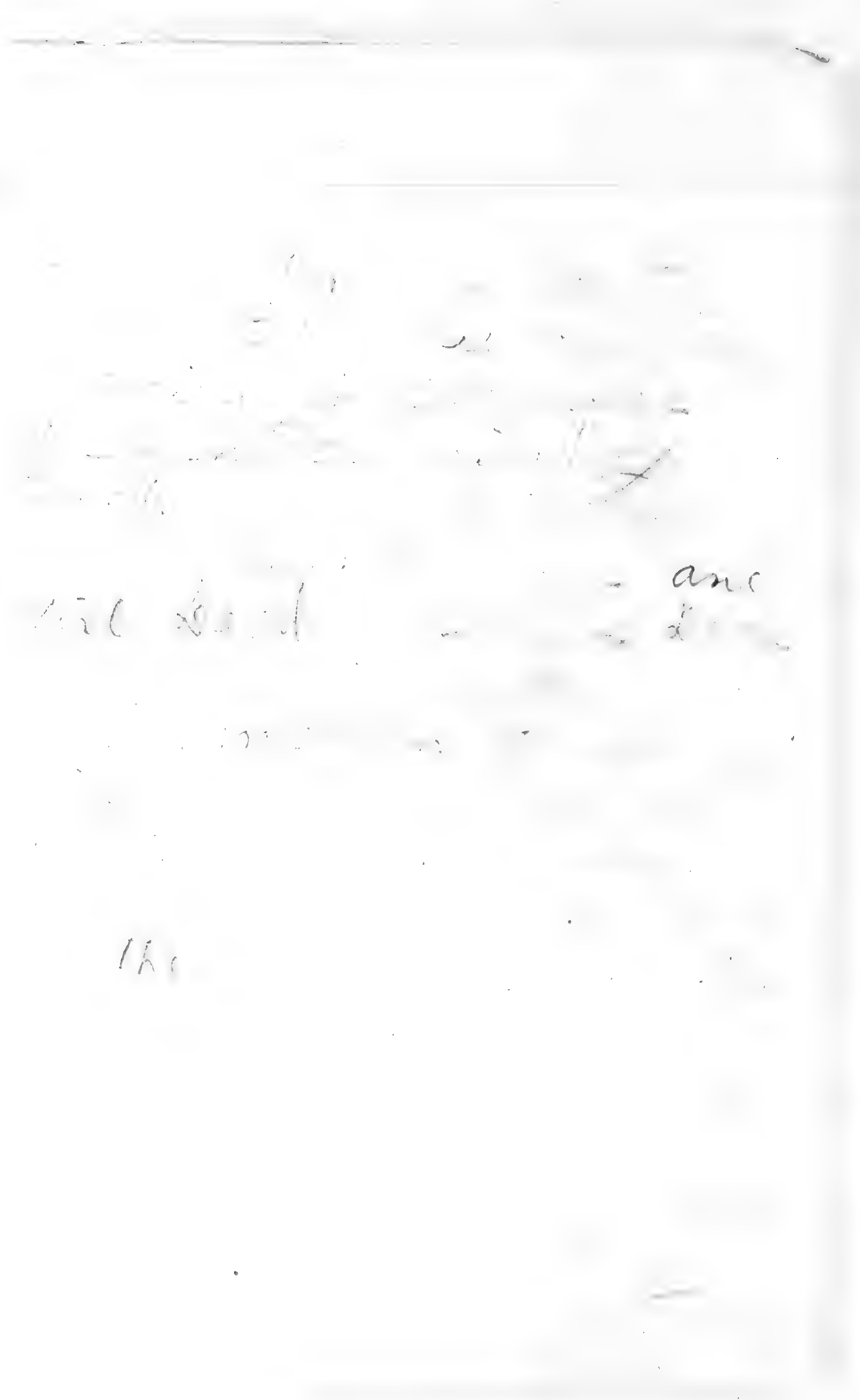
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No. 36754

Name

John P. Edwards and — children.

Action:

Reject

Reasons:

Residence:

Leass. Station, Ga.  
(R.F.D. #1.

Cousin of #15223, and claims through  
the same ancestors.

No. 56754

Name John T. Edwards

With No. 4 arms file

Remarks: 15223



*John F. Edwards*  
*154127*  
*20531*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John F. Edwards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*Alfred G. Law*

U.S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: John T. Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Carr Station R.F.D. #1

3. County: Bartow

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 23

Born

March 13, 1884

6. Where were you born? Bartow Co - Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Robert T. Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha Chatfield

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lumpkin Co - Ga -

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                            | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Gertrude Holden<br>Cypress, Fla  | Feb-10-1874   |       |
| (2) | Ida Murphy<br>White, Pa.         | Dec 28, 1872  |       |
| (3) | Laura Tower<br>Cass Station, Pa. | Nov 6, 1878   |       |
| (4) | Helia Edwards<br>White, Pa.      | July 16, 1881 |       |
| (5) | Bernie Edwards<br>Cass Station   | Mar 9, 1891-  |       |
| (6) | Lyster Edwards<br>Cass Station   | Nov-4, 1894   |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Green Edwards  
Catherine Edwards

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |                  |
|-----|------------------------|------------------|
| (1) | Robert T. Edwards      | Cass Station Pa. |
| (2) | Agnes Turner           |                  |
| (3) | William Thomas Edwards | Adamsville, Pa.  |
| (4) | Lucinda Curtis         | Adamsville, Pa.  |
| (5) | Joseph A. Edwards      |                  |
| (6) | Alfred W. Edwards      |                  |
|     | John R. Edwards        |                  |
|     | Susan A. Turner        |                  |
|     | Henry C. Edwards       |                  |
|     | Walter W. Edwards      |                  |
|     | Abraham Edwards        |                  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Parents - Robert T. Edwards and Martha A. Edwards - Grand Parents - William Green Edwards + Catherine Edwards - Great Grand Parents - Thomas Edwards and Agnes Edwards nee Carner - Great Grand Parents - Hufferd Carner and Carner nee Callahan

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

J.C. DePuton and Co of Washington D.C. and Sheriff + Sheriff of Rome, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John T. Edwards

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug 1907.

UW Barber  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1st 1911

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Nat. Biddy  
and Pratt Cheek who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with John T. Edwards  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 years and  
9 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

N. Biddy  
Pratt Cheek

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July 1st 1911, 1907 UW Barber  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 36755

Action: *Reject*

Name *Robert L. Edwards* and *5* children. Residence *Cass Station, Ga*  
*R.F.D. #1.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #15223, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

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No. 36755

Name R. L. L. Edwards

With No. 15223

Remarks: 1st 1st



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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Robert L. Edwards*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

J. C. D. PUTTICK  
JAN 10 1907  
U.S. DEPT. OF THE INTERIOR

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Robert R. Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: R. F. D. #1 Cass station

3. County: Barrow

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 331 Born Aug. 20, 1892

6. Where were you born? Hall County, Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Foley Edwards age 30

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? None

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>John Edwards</u> |           | <u>Aug. 20, 1892</u> |
| (2) | <u>Esther</u>       | <u>11</u> | <u>Aug. 29, 1896</u> |
| (3) | <u>Leola</u>        | <u>11</u> | <u>Feb. 19, 1898</u> |
| (4) | <u>Marion</u>       | <u>11</u> | <u>June 8, 1900</u>  |
| (5) | <u>James</u>        | <u>11</u> | <u>Feb. 19, 1904</u> |
| (6) |                     |           |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert T. Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha Edwards

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha B. Crain

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cumpton (Georgia) - died

Mother: " " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lumpkin County, Georgia

Mother: Dickinson, Ark.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Unknown.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.             | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Robert A. Edwards | Feb. 10, 1874  |       |
|     | Gertrude Holman   |                |       |
| (2) | Ira Murphy        | May 28, 1872   |       |
|     | Rauna D. Edwards  | Nov 6, 1878    |       |
| (3) | Lelia Edwards     | July 16, 1881  |       |
| (4) | John T. Edwards   | March 13, 1884 |       |
| (5) | Bessie Edwards    | March 9, 1891  |       |
| (6) | Myrtle Edwards    | Nov 4, 1894    |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.        | MOTHER'S SIDE. |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| William Allen Edwards |                |
| Marine Edwards        |                |

18. Where were they born? Irish in Union Co. S. Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Lumpkin County, Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |                 |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Robert A. Edwards     | Can State Ga    |
| (2) | Gertrude Holman       |                 |
| (3) | Ira Murphy            | Adairville, Ga. |
| (4) | Rauna D. Edwards      | Dalton, Ga.     |
| (5) | Lelia Edwards         | Holston         |
| (6) | John T. Edwards       |                 |
|     | Bessie Edwards        |                 |
|     | Myrtle Edwards        |                 |
|     | William Allen Edwards | Adairville - Ga |
|     | Marine Edwards        | Holston, Ga.    |





No. 36756

Action: *Reject*

Name *John R. Warham* and *2* children.

Residence: *Adairsville, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #15223, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 36756

Name John R. Harsham

With No. Game Life

Remarks : 15223

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*For Henry & Mary Ann*  
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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

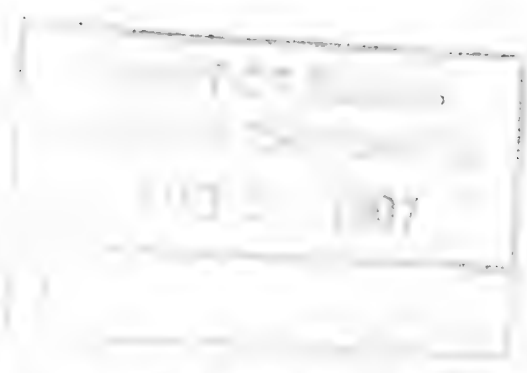
APPLICATION

OF

*John R. Worsham*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**J.C. DePUTRON,**

**Attorney at Law**

WASHINGTON, D.C.

*1000 10 15 1906*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE. | BORN.          |
|-----|----------------|------|----------------|
| (1) | Oscar Warkham  | 9    | Nov. 30 - 1897 |
| (2) | Bessie Warkham | 4    | June 20, 1903  |
| (3) |                |      |                |
| (4) |                |      |                |
| (5) |                |      |                |
| (6) |                |      |                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not yet born

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Jim

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Lela Adams      | Sept. 2 - 1880 |       |
|     | Sollie Worsham  | April 10, 1882 |       |
| (2) | Annie Head      | Dec. 25, 1884  |       |
|     | William Worsham | Dec. 18, 1885  |       |
| (3) | Robert Worsham  | Dec. 11 - 1887 |       |
|     | Sam Worsham     | Aug. 9 1889    |       |
| (4) | Bulea Worsham   | March - 1891   |       |
|     | Turner Worsham  | 1895           |       |
| (5) | Rich Worsham    | 1895           |       |
|     | Edgar Worsham   | 1897           |       |
| (6) | Matthie Worsham | 1910           |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

William Green Edwards  
Catherine Edwards

18. Where were they born?

I think in Union Co. S. C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Sumpter Co. Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                        |                   |
|-----|------------------------|-------------------|
| (1) | Agnes Turner           | Alabama           |
| (2) | William Turner Edwards | Daytonville - Ga. |
| (3) | Lucend Curtis          | Alabama - Ga.     |
| (4) | Joseph R. Edwards      |                   |
| (5) | Alfred W. Edwards      |                   |
| (6) | John P. Edwards        |                   |
|     | Sam A. Turner          |                   |
|     | Henry C. Edwards       |                   |
|     | Walter Worsham         |                   |
|     | Abraham S. Edwards     |                   |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents - Nancy J. Warshaw  
and John Green Edwards - S. S. P. Thomas Edwards  
and John Edwards nee Carver - S. S. P. Hubert Carver  
and Carver nee Callahan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

G. C. Deputum of Washington D. C. and Sheriff of  
of Home, Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the  
prosecution of this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John R. Warshaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Aug 1907.

A. W. Barber  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 1st 1911, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

T. M. King

and

T. M. King

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John R. Warshaw

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

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years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

T. M. King

T. M. King

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July 1st, 190

A. W. Barber  
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CERT. OF CLAIMS  
E. W. CHEROKEE  
OCT 6 1909



**J. R. Worsham,**

DEALER IN

**Fancy Groceries, Fruits and Cold Drinks.  
First Class Restaurant.**

*Adairsville, Ga.,*

1904



No. 36757

Action: *Exacted*

Name: *Ans Emma Toston* and *children.* Residence: *Wilmington Del.*

Reasons:

*Wilmington, the whom applicant claims were  
slaves. See letter filed herein marked Ex.*

# 36757

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No. 36757

Name *Reg*  
*Mr. Emma Norton*

With No.

Remarks:

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*Refused*

*under the name*  
*of the same person*

*(see page 10)*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mrs. Emma Horton*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*650-5*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs. Emma Horton

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Albertville Rt # 4.

3. County: Marshall.

4. State: Alabama.

5. How old are you? 37 Born June 1870.

6. Where were you born? Cobb Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: L. H. Horton. Age 36.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE.      | BORN.              |
|-----|---------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Carl Horton</u>  | <u>22</u> | <u>June - 1885</u> |
| (2) | <u>Effie Horton</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>Aug 1887.</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Jesse Horton</u> | <u>17</u> | <u>Nov: 1890.</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Susie Horton</u> | <u>14</u> | <u>Sept 1893</u>   |
| (5) | _____               | _____     | _____              |
| (6) | _____               | _____     | _____              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Will Deuson.

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Millie Deuson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Millie Cook

12. Where were they born?

Father: Butts Co. Ga.

Mother: Butts Co. Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Ga.

Mother: In Ga.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Some time between 1875-85

Mother: Don't remember, but before father's death.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.       | DIED.       |
|-----|---|-------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Susan West</u>                             | <u>1860</u> | <u>1876</u> |
| (2) | <u>Umedia Horton.</u><br><u>Booz Ala.</u>     | <u>1862</u> |             |
| (3) | <u>Annie Oliver</u><br><u>Atlanta Ga.</u>     | <u>1864</u> |             |
| (4) | <u>Edmon Deuson</u><br><u>Reed Brake Ala.</u> | <u>1873</u> |             |
| (5) |   |             |             |
| (6) |   |             |             |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Edmund Deuson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Harp Cook.

18. Where were they born?

In Central Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

No not

remember.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |  |  |
|-----|--|--|
| (1) |  |  |
| (2) |  |  |
| (3) |  |  |
| (4) |  |  |
| (5) |  |  |
| (6) |  |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Her grandfather is Edmund Deason and grand father on mother's side is Hop Oak and grand-mother can't remember.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Several of the <sup>spaces</sup> Council be filled out an account of lack of memory but however she belong to the same family of Mrs. Louisa Adams and Simey Davidson.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emmer Horton <sup>her marks.</sup>

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

John L. Hatley  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Adeline Jackson  
and Elinor Mott, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Emmer Benjamin Horton who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and 28 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. H. Horton Adeline Jackson  
Maud Jackson Elinor Mott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

1909.

John L. Hatley  
Notary Public.

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CHIEF OF BUREAU  
WASHINGTON  
AUG 11 1907

Albertville Ala  
Aug-20-07

Mr Gideon Miller  
Washington D.C

Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find  
another application for the  
Cherokee Claim for Mrs. Emma  
Horton, for which I am doing  
the corresponding.

I remain

Oscar Horton.

67, 1999.

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For our purpose we prepared a series of 1000  
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They report fully.

**SUBJECT** \_\_\_\_\_

CONFIDENTIAL

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
*Rec.* MAY 23 1908  
*No.*

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | MAY 23 1908 |
| No.                                   |             |

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July 19-07

My dear Mr. [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

I am very glad to hear  
from you that you are  
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[unclear] [unclear] 1808 in  
Co. 5 Company V.A. and grand parents  
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[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] at 1834-35 and [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
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[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] [unclear]



No. 36758.

Action: Reject.

Name Linnie Keene and X children. Residence: 2703 S. Meridian St.,  
Marion, Ind.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as #15889; rejected for the same cause.

36758



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Linnie Keen*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*Jno R Hadley Atty*  
*Cherokee Ind*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Linnie Keene

Indian name: name

2. Residence and post office: Marion 2903 S Meridian

3. County: Grant

4. State: Ind

5. How old are you? 23 Born March 11<sup>th</sup> 1884

6. Where were you born? Janesboro Ind.

7. Are you married? no

8. Name and age of wife or husband: ✓

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? ✓

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.    | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>✓</u> |      |       |
| (2) |          |      |       |
| (3) |          |      |       |
| (4) |          |      |       |
| (5) |          |      |       |
| (6) |          |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Sanford Keene

Indian name: name

Mother—English name: Mary A Keene

Indian name: name that I know of

Maiden name: Mary A Weaver

12. Where were they born?

Father: Guilford Co N.C.

Mother: Wayne Co Ind

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mayne Co Ind

Mother: Mayne Co Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                       | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|-----------------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | Emma Burden<br>Mayne Co Ind | May 31 1864 |       |

|     |                             |              |  |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------|--|
| (2) | Jessie Keene<br>Chicago Ill | June 26 1869 |  |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------|--|

|     |                         |             |  |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|--|
| (3) | Harvey Keene<br>unknown | Jul 24 1871 |  |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------|--|

|     |                             |            |  |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------|--|
| (4) | Mrs. M. Keene<br>Muncie Ind | Jan 3 1887 |  |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------|--|

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|-----|--|--|--|
| (5) |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|

|     |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|
| (6) |  |  |  |
|-----|--|--|--|

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Keene

Clara Keene

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James J. Meener

Elizabeth Meener

Marden name R.

Adelpha J. Meener, + Tabitha

Shirley Keene

18. Where were they born? Quincy Co Mo

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Rush Co Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                               |                      |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | Thos J Meener<br>Quincy Co Mo | Carthage Ind<br>dead |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------------|

|     |                                  |              |
|-----|----------------------------------|--------------|
| (2) | Philander Meener<br>Quincy Co Mo | Carthage Ind |
|-----|----------------------------------|--------------|

|     |                |                                   |
|-----|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| (3) | Isaac O Meener | Quincy Co Mo - 2703 S Meridian St |
|-----|----------------|-----------------------------------|

|     |                |      |
|-----|----------------|------|
| (4) | Madison Meener | dead |
|-----|----------------|------|

|     |             |                 |
|-----|-------------|-----------------|
| (5) | Emma Meener | Knightstown Ind |
|-----|-------------|-----------------|

|     |            |                  |
|-----|------------|------------------|
| (6) | Ella Smith | Minneapolis Minn |
|-----|------------|------------------|

|  |             |              |
|--|-------------|--------------|
|  | Lena Meener | Carthage Ind |
|--|-------------|--------------|

|  |                |      |
|--|----------------|------|
|  | William Meener | dead |
|--|----------------|------|

|  |                 |               |
|--|-----------------|---------------|
|  | Augustus Meener | Fairmount Ind |
|--|-----------------|---------------|



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835 I claim through my mother Mary A Keene daughter of Elizabeth Meenan a daughter of Jubitha Robbins who was a daughter of Wm Sh. Craft and his full blood Cherokee wife Bie or Jubitha McCherr

REMARKS.  
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint John R. Hadley of Marion Ind as my Attorney and agree to allow him 25% of the amount collected for his services

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Miss Linnie Keene

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

JR Hadley Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, 1907

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me U.S. Cochran  
and Omar E. Cochran, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Linnie Keene  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and 12 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U.S. Cochran  
Omar E. Cochran

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#36758

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| COUNT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
| Rec. NOV 1 1909                       |
| No.                                   |

15-889

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of May - 1861  
at  
Fayetteville  
Ark.  
in  
the  
year  
1861  
and  
1862  
J. H.

No. 36759.

Name Ursula Nixon

Action: Reject.

Reasons: Claim. through the same source as #15889; rejected for the same reasons  
and 1 children. Residence: 211 N.Dix St., Muncie,  
Ind.

No. 105410

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

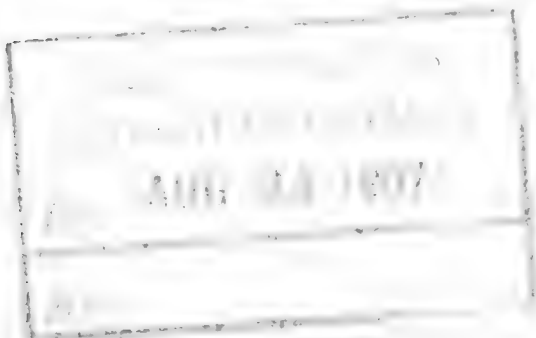
OF

Mrsula Clixan

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

John R. Hadley *Atty*  
Marian Ind



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Ursula Nixon

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Chattahoochee - 211, N. Dix St Muncie

3. County: Madison

4. State: Ind

5. How old are you? 20 Born Jan 3 - 1887

6. Where were you born? Saneshaw Ind

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Nixon 25

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.       | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|-------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Alan</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1905 - Feb 5</u> |
| (2) |             |          |                     |
| (3) |             |          |                     |
| (4) |             |          |                     |
| (5) |             |          |                     |
| (6) |             |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Sanford Keene

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Mary A Keene

Indian name: not any

Maiden name: Mary A Keener

12. Where were they born?

Father: N. C. - Guilford Co.

Mother: Mayne Co Ind

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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1. State full name—

English name: Ursula Nixon

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Chatterbox - 211, N. Dix St Muncie

3. County: Madison

4. State: Ind

5. How old are you? 20 Born Jan 3<sup>rd</sup> 1887

6. Where were you born? Donelson Ind

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William Nixon 25

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.       | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|-------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Dean</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>1904 - Feb 5</u> |
| (2) |             |          |                     |
| (3) |             |          |                     |
| (4) |             |          |                     |
| (5) |             |          |                     |
| (6) |             |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samford Keene

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Mary A Keene

Indian name: not any

Maiden name: Mary A Keener

12. Where were they born?

Father: N. C. - Guilford Co.

Mother: Mayne Co Ind



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Henry Co Ind

Mother: Mary Co Ind

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: not that I know of

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.        | BORN.                    | RES.        |
|-----|--------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | Joseph Keene | June 26 <sup>th</sup> 69 | Chicago Ill |
| (2) | Emma Burden  | May 31 67                | Marion Ind  |
| (3) | Harvey       | Jul 24 74                |             |
|     | Res unknown  |                          |             |
| (4) | Linnie       | Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> 84  |             |
|     | Marion       |                          |             |
| (5) |              |                          |             |
| (6) |              |                          |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Robert Keene

Clara Keene

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James D. Weaver

Elizabeth Weaver

maiden name Ruthless

daughter of Josiah & Jolietta Rabbin

18. Where were they born? Guilford Co. NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Rush Wayne Co Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |                  |
|-----|---------------|------------------|
| (1) | Thos P Weaver | Carthage Ind.    |
|     | Pro A Weaver  | dead             |
| (2) | Philinda      | Carthage Ind     |
| (3) | Mary A Keene  | Marion Ind       |
|     | Isaac A       |                  |
| (4) | Wenderson     | dead             |
|     | Emma Weaver   | Knightstown Ind  |
| (5) | Ella Smith    | Minneapolis Minn |
|     | Lena          | Carthage Ind     |
| (6) | William       | dead             |
|     | Augustus      | Fairmount Ind    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835 I claim through my mother Mary & Keene a daughter of Elizabeth Meener a daughter of Tabitha Robbins a daughter of Sam Shacraft & his full blood Cherokee wife Bieie or Tabitha Cheheve

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint John R Hadley of Charman Ind as my attorney and agree to allow him 25% of amount collected for his services

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Ursula Wixon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

JR Hadley

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me U S Cochran  
and Omar E Cochran, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Ursula Wixon  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 years and years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

U. S. Cochran

Omar E. Cochran

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 7<sup>th</sup>, 1907.

JR Hadley

Notary Public.

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No. 36760

Name

Wm. Jones

and

11

children.

Residence:

Ogleby Okla.

Action:

Repeal.

Reasons:

Jan 25 1899

No. 36760.  
Name *Wm Jones*  
With No. 25839  
Remarks:

2000  
No. 115700

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

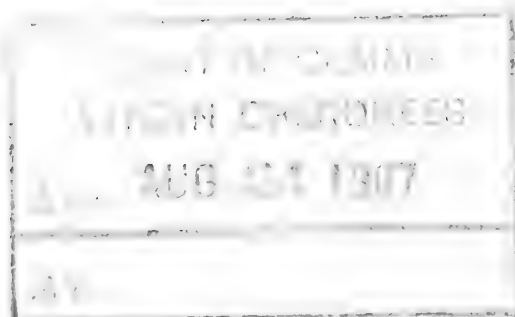
APPLICATION

OF

Wm. J. Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624





**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.            | AGE. | BORN.       |
|-----|------------------|------|-------------|
| (1) | Florence Jones   | 11   | Apr 9, 1896 |
| (2) | Rose Ethel Jones | 9    | June, 1898  |
| (3) | Irrelious Jones  | 6    | 1901.       |
| (4) | Maud Ella Jones  | 1    | Nov 1905    |
| (5) |                  |      |             |
| (6) |                  |      |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not for annuities

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------|-------|
| (1) | Albert Roberts                                  | 1884  | 1898. |
| (2) | Howard St.<br>Rosa & John Roberts<br>Howard St. | 1888  | 1898. |
| (3) |   |       |       |
| (4) |   |       |       |
| (5) |   |       |       |
| (6) |   |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Don't know  
Don't know

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Don't know  
Don't know  
Thomas Hill.  
Minerva Hill.

18. Where were they born? Immigrant

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Immigrant

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                            |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Jones</u>       | <u>Howard St.</u>          |
| (2) | <u>Arthur Roberts</u>    | <u>Howard St.</u>          |
| (3) | <u>Edwin Hubbert</u>     | <u>Howard St.</u>          |
| (4) | <u>John Kuckner</u>      | <u>Coffeyville Kansas.</u> |
| (5) | <u>William Robertson</u> | <u>Stam St.</u>            |
| (6) | <u>John Hill</u>         | <u>Empire St.</u>          |
|     | <u>John Hill</u>         | <u>Ft Scott Kansas.</u>    |
|     | <u>Andrew Hill</u>       | <u>Talala St.</u>          |
|     | <u>Missie Gilbert</u>    | <u>Empire St.</u>          |
|     | <u>James Rogers</u>      | <u>Talala St.</u>          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not Enrolled for any

annuities.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

.....

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

.....

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Aug 1907.

C. J. Johnson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 23, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. R. Roberts

and Harold Miller, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with William Jones

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 34 years and

20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. R. Roberts

Harold Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

July 23, 1911.

C. J. Johnson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36761

Action: *Repet*

Name *Mary J. Duplett* and *5* children. Residence: *Bamboo, N. C.*

Reasons:

*Cousin of #27830, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

No. 4751  
Name Man. C. C. C. C.  
With No. 1582  
Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

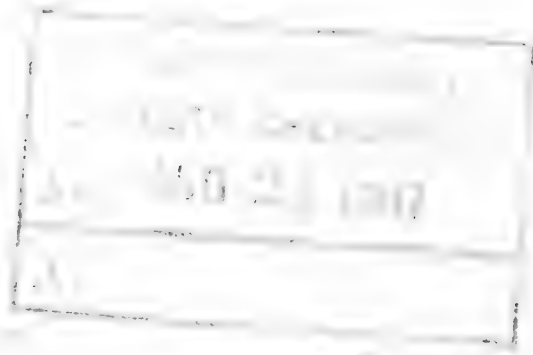
APPLICATION

OF

*Mary L. Triplett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



1907



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.             | AGE.      | BORN.         |
|-----|-------------------|-----------|---------------|
| (1) | Laura Miller      | 2.3 years | April 1884    |
| (2) | Philmore Triplett | 20 years  | April 1867    |
| (3) | Henry Triplett    | 18 years  | August 1869   |
| (4) | Arnold Triplett   | 9 years   | July 1898     |
| (5) | Lula Triplett     | 3 years   | November 1903 |
| (6) |                   |           |               |

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Triplitt N.C.

Mother: Triplitt N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died November 1902

Mother: Died June 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.                | DIED.              |
|-----|--|----------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Elizabeth Greer</u><br><u>Bamboo N.C.</u>   | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>alive</u>       |
| (2) | <u>Martha Waters</u><br><u>Bamboo N.C.</u>     | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>alive</u>       |
| (3) | <u>Hullie Harrepton</u><br><u>Bamboo N.C.</u>  | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>alive</u>       |
| (4) | <u>William Wheeler</u><br><u>Triplitt N.C.</u> | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>alive</u>       |
| (5) | <u>Thomas Wheeler</u><br><u>Bamboo N.C.</u>    | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>alive</u>       |
| (6) | <u>James Wheeler</u>                           | <u>unknown to me</u> | <u>Ad of death</u> |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.               | MOTHER'S SIDE.                |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <u>unknown english</u>       | <u>Thomas Triplitt</u>        |
| <u>James Wheeler english</u> | <u>Betsy Triplitt english</u> |
| <u>Indian name unknown</u>   | <u>Indian name unknown</u>    |

18. Where were they born? unknown to me

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Triplitt N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |               |              |
|-----|---------------|--------------|
| (1) | <u>Martha</u> | <u>to me</u> |
| (2) |               |              |
| (3) |               |              |
| (4) |               |              |
| (5) |               |              |
| (6) |               |              |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 716

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: english name on father side  
Wheeler, on mother side Triplett - Indian name  
munaw

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mary L. Triplett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

William Watson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. S. Hampton  
and Sarah Hodges, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mary L. Triplett  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and  
42 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Hampton  
Sarah Hodges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909. William Watson  
Notary Public.

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No. 36762.

Action:

Reject.

Name

Martha Wheeling, and X.

children.

Residence:

Tripletts N.C.

Reasons:

Claim through the same source  
as # 22049.

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No. 36762

Name..... Martha H. Heston

With No. 22049

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

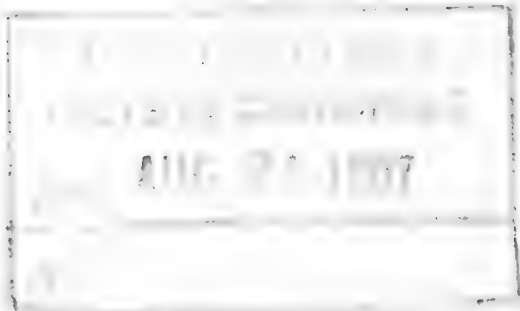
APPLICATION

OF

*Martha Wheeling*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.           | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Thos Wheeling   | 64   |       |
| (2) | John Wheeling   | 47   |       |
| (3) | Sam Wheel       | 43   |       |
| (4) | Martha Miller   | 41   |       |
| (5) | Carson Wheeling | 40   |       |
| (6) |                 |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.           | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Thos Wheeling   | 54   |       |
| (2) | Seline Wheeling | 47   |       |
| (3) | Law Wheeler     | 43   |       |
| (4) | Martha Miller   | 41   |       |
| (5) | Casson Wheeling | 40   |       |
| (6) |                 |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: do not know

Mother: do not know

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Linville Waters</u> |       |       |
| (2) |                        |       |       |
| (3) |                        |       |       |
| (4) |                        |       |       |
| (5) |                        |       |       |
| (6) |                        |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

John P. Waters  
Cherokee Tribe  
Elizabeth Waters  
Cherokee Tribe

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Geo. Keys  
Nancy Keys

18. Where were they born? in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |  |
|-----|-----------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>William Waters</u> |  |
| (2) | <u>Mallice Waters</u> |  |
| (3) | <u>Leanne Waters</u>  |  |
| (4) | <u>William Waters</u> |  |
| (5) | <u>John Keys</u>      |  |
| (6) | <u>James Keys</u>     |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: John P. Waters and Nancy Waters

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant of the Eastern Cherokee Tribe of Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Martha Wheeling

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Albert Greer  
and Marshall S. Hampton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Martha Wheeling  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 1 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Albert Greer  
Marshall S. Hampton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909. Allen Watson  
Notary Public.

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# 36762  
with  
# 22049

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7.5.7.

Appln. No. 33762-22049.

March 25, 1908.

Martha Wheeling,

Trinlett, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and grand parents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

To

Chief Clerk.

WWT/nlc.

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Triplitt N.C.

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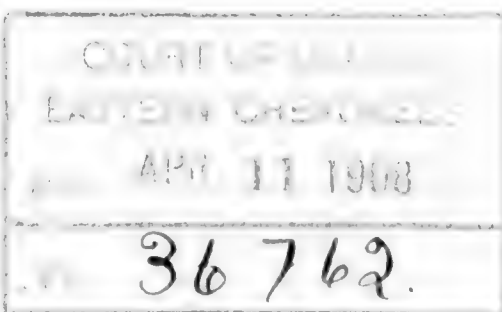
My dear Miss  
Dear Sir in regard to  
your letter I got - came  
from the other day - I thought  
I had sent the packet  
that you wanted my parents  
names my fathers name is  
Wesley Waters and my  
mothers name is Martha  
Waters my Grandfather was  
John P. Waters and his



36762 FST.

Wife name is Betty Calums  
Gav. wanted to no if any  
are my ancestors had I  
then I know no sir then  
have no & all I <sup>(can)</sup> get  
tell you about my Grand  
mother she claimed to  
be half breed Cherokee  
Indian and the  
Christian I have aff my  
uncle Willbarn Waters  
my grand father  
Martha Wheeling

Please send this letter  
as soon as you can



No. 36763

Action: *Admitted*

Name *James Hill*

and *5* children. Residence: *Winta, Okla.*

Reasons:

*That James was removed from the school because of his bad behavior.*

36763

No. 36763.  
Name Miss Hill  
With No. 98.  
Remarks:

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No. ....

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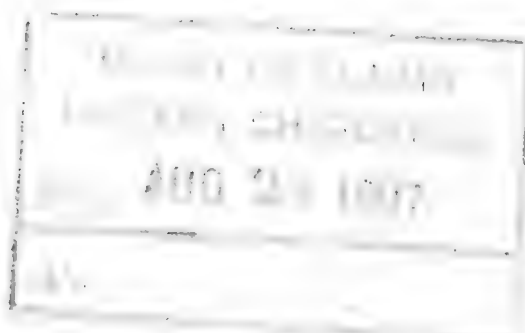
## EASTERN CHEROKEES

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APPLICATION OF  
OF

*Davis Hill*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name--

English name: Davis Hill

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Vinita (Ind. Terr.)

3. County: Cherokee Nation

4. State: Indian Territory

5. How old are you? 43 Born Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> 1863

6. Where were you born? La Fayette Walker Co. Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hannie E. Hill

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                  | AGE.            | BORN.                |
|-----|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>George R. Hill</u>  | <u>16 years</u> | <u>Oct. 26-1890</u>  |
| (2) | <u>James J. Hill</u>   | <u>14 "</u>     | <u>Sept. 20-1892</u> |
| (3) | <u>William J. Hill</u> | <u>12 "</u>     | <u>Feb. 22-1895</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Rachel Hill</u>     | <u>10 "</u>     | <u>Aug. 23-1897</u>  |
| (5) | <u>John R. Hill</u>    | <u>8 "</u>      | <u>May 18-1899</u>   |
| (6) | <u>Maria A. Hill</u>   | <u>6 "</u>      | <u>April 5-1901</u>  |
| (7) | <u>Francis E. Hill</u> | <u>4 "</u>      | <u>July 5-1903</u>   |
| (8) | <u>Mary E. Hill</u>    | <u>1 "</u>      | <u>Jan. 25-1906</u>  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

George W. Hill, Rachel Hill

Father--English name: George W. Hill

Indian name: "none"

Mother -English name: Rachel Hill

Indian name: "none"

Maiden name: Rachel Davis

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of South Carolina

Mother: State of Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *State of Georgia*

Mother: *State of Georgia*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *Living*

Mother: *May 19<sup>th</sup> 1907*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *Mother was enrolled on Chapman's*

*later Rolls Cherokee in Georgia; all rolls of Cherokees in made in Cherokee Nations Ind. L. Since 1888*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN        | DIED.         |
|-----|------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | <i>Mary J. Hill</i>    | <i>1865</i> | <i>1872</i>   |
| (2) | <i>Robt. L. Hill</i>   | <i>1868</i> | <i>Living</i> |
|     | <i>Claremore I. T.</i> |             |               |
| (3) | <i>George A. Hill</i>  | <i>1874</i> | <i>1875</i>   |
| (4) |                        |             |               |
| (5) |                        |             |               |
| (6) |                        |             |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

*Adam Hill*

*Maria Hill*

MOTHER'S SIDE.

*Martin Davis*

*Julia A. Davis*

18. Where were they born? *Mother's side State of Georgia*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *State of Georgia*

*both sides*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) *White people*

(2) *Father's side*

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

*Mother's side*  
*Mrs. Jane Patton, Moscogee, I. T.*  
*Mrs. Rachel Hill Vinita I. T. Dead*  
*Mrs. Mary Hill Vinita I. T.*  
*John Davis Claremore, I. T.*  
*Mrs. Mary J. Little Dead*  
*Martin Davis Jr. Dead*



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *all rolls of Cherokee made in Cherokee Nation Ind. Terr since 1886 - including that year*

22 To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Mother's side*

*Father George W. Hill, Mother Rachel Hill, "Ne" Rachel Davis*  
*G. H. Mother's side Martin Davis, G. M. Mother's side Julia A. Davis*  
*(G. G. H.) Daniel Davis, (G. G. M.) Rachel Davis*  
REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)

*my mother Rachel Hill made application to you for enrollment before her death and her application was No 4132*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Davis Hill*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August* 1907.

*J. J. M.*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 11 - 1911* ~~190~~

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Louis D. Clarkscale*  
and *J. E. Buffington*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with *Davis Hill*  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *15* years and  
*5* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents  
*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*Louis D. Clarkscale*

*J. E. Buffington*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

*June 11 - 1911* ~~190~~

*J. J. M.*  
Notary Public.

NOTE. Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36764

Action: *Reject*

Name *Millie R. K. Masters* and *2* children. Residence: *Cookeville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

~~R. S. D. Holt~~  
*Swain, Ark.*

- 1:- No ancestor ever enrolled.
- 2:- " " party to treaties of 1835-67-1840.
- 3:- Shows no connection with Eastern Cherokee.

Misc. Test. P. 756.

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No. 36764  
Name Willie H. C. Masters  
With No. Not 1st 2  
Remarks: Wm. 31135-6 1,  
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Examined at  
Examination Jan  
June 21, 1888

No. 4

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mulie R. Minter*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Millie R. Kaydis ~~Grimes~~ Masters

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Coatesville R. F. D. No. 1 Swain

3. County: Putnam Ark.

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 24 Born Nov 22, 1883

6. Where were you born? Near Livingston Overton County Tennessee

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Porter Masters May 18-1873

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.         | BORN.                            |
|-----|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Flora Melvina Masters</u> | <u>5 yrs</u> | <u>27<sup>th</sup> July 1902</u> |
| (2) | <u>Isaac Homer Masters</u>   | <u>1 yr</u>  | <u>13<sup>th</sup> May 1906</u>  |
| (3) | _____                        | _____        | _____                            |
| (4) | _____                        | _____        | _____                            |
| (5) | _____                        | _____        | _____                            |
| (6) | _____                        | _____        | _____                            |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Chesley Malone Mandy Ellen Malone, Mandy Ellen Hooten

Father—English name: Chesley Malone 7135

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Mandy Ellen Hooten

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Mandy Ellen Hooten

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Livingston Overton County Tennessee

Mother: Van Buren County Tennessee



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Now living

Mother: Oct 17<sup>th</sup> 1893

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No Sir

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.                      | DIED.  |
|-----|---|----------------------------|--------|
| (1) | John Frank Malone<br>Hilham Tenn RFD No 1       | Nov 9 <sup>th</sup> 1877   | Living |
| (2) | Laura Elizabeth Upton<br>Hilham Tenn            | Oct 10 <sup>th</sup> 1880  | Living |
| (3) | Martha Ellen Flatt<br>Hilham Tenn RFD No 1      | Aug 25 <sup>th</sup> 1886  | Living |
| (4) | Mary Haley Bosh<br>Hilham Tenn RFD No 1         | July 31 <sup>st</sup> 1889 | Living |
| (5) | Albert Thomas Malone<br>Cockville Tenn RFD No 1 | Oct 27 <sup>th</sup> 1891  | Living |
| (6) |   |                            |        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Bob Johnson  
Catherine Malone  
Kandis Malone

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jim Hooten  
Millie R. Jane Crain

18. Where were they born? Kandis Malone born in North Carolina

Jim Hooten born White Co. Tenn. Millie R. Jane Crain born Van Buren County Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On East Tennessee also - Jim Hooten  
in Van Buren Co. Tenn. - Millie R. Jane in Van Buren Co Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     | children of Jim Hooten  |
|-----|---|
| (1) | <u>Chesley Malone</u> <u>Byrthe Johnson</u> <u>Cockley Tenn</u> |
| (2) | <u>Cockville Tenn</u> <u>Oliver Hooten</u> <u>Hilham Tenn</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Sarah Boman</u> <u>Bullers Landing Tenn</u>                  |
| (4) | <u>Thula Wilson</u> <u>Orad</u>                                 |
| (5) | <u>Millie Hooten</u> <u>Hilham Tenn</u>                         |
| (6) | <u>Eliza Wilson</u> <u>Windle Tenn</u>                          |
|     | <u>Miranda Fleming</u> <u>Livingston Tenn</u>                   |
|     | <u>Malinda Fleming</u> <u>Hilham Tenn</u>                       |
|     | <u>Mary Mathews</u> <u>Windle Tenn</u>                          |
|     | <u>Bob Hooten</u> <u>Windle Tenn</u>                            |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No Sir

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Millie R Candee Masters

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

J. P. Douglas

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John S. Masters  
and W. C. Maxwell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Millie R Candee Masters  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
5 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John S. Masters

W. C. Maxwell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 15<sup>th</sup>

, 1908.

J. P. Douglas

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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### Special Commissions

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No. 37133 (33764)

Chesley Malone, being first duly sworn and examined, deposes and says:

My name is Chesley Malone: I was born in Overton Co., Tenn. in 1849: I claim my Indian blood through my mother: My mother's maiden name was Candias Malone: I make no claim of Indian blood through my father: I think my mother was born in W. C., but I do not know what county; my mother was either born in W. C. or Va., I do not know which; I was about fifteen years old: I do not know when my mother was born: my mother got her Indian blood from her father: whose name was Harvey Malone: my grandfather came from Va.: my own father was born about 1808: I do not know what county: I heard that my grandfather lived in Va. and that he came from Va. to W. C. and from W. C. to Tenn.: I am unable to trace my Indian ancestry back farther than my grandfather, Harvey Malone: in 1841 I think my grandfather and mother were residing in either W. C. or Va.: none of the ancestors through whom I claim nor I have ever been enrolled or received any money, land or other benefits: none of the ancestors through whom I claim ever went west with the Indians: I never heard of any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever living with the Indians as a member of the tribe: I have never heard of any of the ancestors through whom I claim ever having an Indian name: none of the ancestors through whom I claim were ever held in slavery: in 1841 I and the ancestors through whom I claim were living in Overton Co., Tenn.: I heard that my grandfather was a half breed Indian: I do not remember of ever hearing him say that he was part Cherokee; said that he was part Red man: both I and the ancestors through whom I claim have always been considered as white people in the community in which we lived, but it is well known that we have Indian blood in us.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Livingston, Tenn.  
this 2nd day of June, 1887.

*J. A. B.*  
Assistant to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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No 36765

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nancy Hodges, Guardian* and — children.

Residence: *Diplitt, N. C.*

Reasons:

*For Wm Randle*

*Cousin of # 27830, and claims through  
the same ancestors.*

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No. 36765

Name Nancy Hodge

With No. 27830

Remarks:

has no cat

No. 100113

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

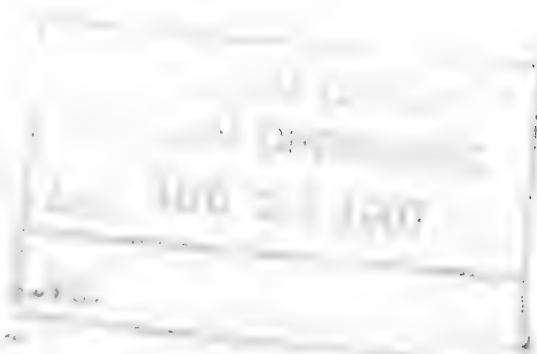
APPLICATION

OF

Nancy Nudge

For share in land appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.     | BORN.          |
|-----|----------------|----------|----------------|
| (1) | Masley Randall | 17 years | September 1889 |
| (2) |                |          |                |
| (3) |                |          |                |
| (4) |                |          |                |
| (5) |                |          |                |
| (6) |                |          |                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in N.C.

Mother: in N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: about 1878

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.                | DIED.         |
|-----|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Sarah, Hodge</u>  | <u>Dec. 1848</u>     | <u>living</u> |
|     | <u>Triplett N.C.</u> |                      |               |
| (2) | <u>Walt Simmons</u>  | <u>unknown to me</u> |               |
|     | <u>unknown to me</u> |                      |               |
| (3) | <u>David Simmons</u> | <u>unknown to me</u> |               |
|     | <u>unknown to me</u> |                      |               |
| (4) |                      |                      |               |
| (5) |                      |                      |               |
| (6) |                      |                      |               |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| <u>William Simmons</u> | <u>Elisha Farmer</u> |
| <u>Ester Simmons</u>   | <u>Mary Farmer</u>   |

18. Where were they born? in N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? in N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                 |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | <u>George C. Simmons</u> | <u>Betsy</u>    |
| (2) | <u>Walt Simmons</u>      |                 |
| (3) | <u>Mary Simmons</u>      |                 |
| (4) | <u>Clara Simmons</u>     |                 |
| (5) | <u>Betsy Farmer</u>      | <u>Triplett</u> |
| (6) | <u>Harvey Farmer</u>     |                 |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never was

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Parents and Grandparents of Wesley Randall William M. Randall and Nancy Randall Hanson Randall Sarah Randall

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

This application is made in behalf of Wesley Randall a minor heir of William M. Randall

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Wesley M. Randall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb 21, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Albert Greer  
and William M. Randall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy Hodges who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. S. Thompson

Albert Greer

William M. Randall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Feb 21

, 1909.

Allen Watson

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

April 1, 1908.

May 7, 1908.

My dear Sir:

I have

received your application for participation  
in the proposed scheme, and am glad to hear of  
your interest in the project. I have been  
very busy lately, but I have managed to  
find time to look into the matter. I am  
very glad to hear that you are so  
interested in the project, and I am  
glad to hear that you are so  
interested in the project.

I am very glad to hear that you are so  
interested in the project, and I am  
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interested in the project.

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interested in the project.

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
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appl #36.7,65,

special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee enrollment

601 Army Building  
Washington, D.C.

Sir

Relative to your enquiry will say  
neither me nor my <sup>parents</sup> grand nor parents never  
resided with the Cherokee tribe but was  
recognised as white people in the community  
in which we resided

my parents & grand parents was bothy illiterate  
& knew nothing of any enrollment in 1851  
but resided in Watauga County in 1834 &  
1835

my parents nor grand parents was not slaves  
of indians or white <sup>people</sup> but was free ~~white~~  
called white people yours truly

Nancy Hodges.

No. 36766

Action:

Reject

Name Sarah L. Liberton and

children.

Residence:

Manganum Area

Reasons:

Applicants ancestors were not  
parties to Treaty of 1836-3646 nor  
enrolled with Chickasaws.

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Name Sarah L. Alburtson

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**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

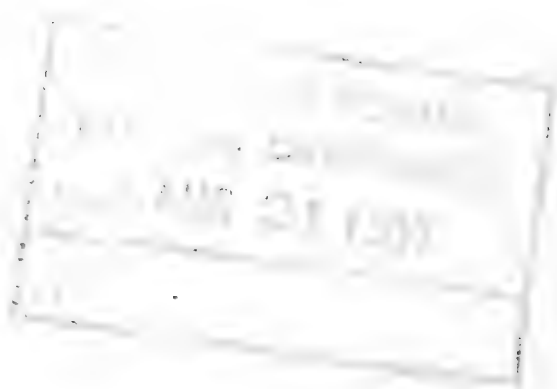
APPLICATION

OF

*Sarah Lucinda Albright*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: *Sarah Lucinda Albertson*  
Indian name: *none*
2. Residence and post office: *Man gune*  
*Greer*
3. County: \_\_\_\_\_
4. State: *Oklahoma*
5. How old are you? *53* Born *Oct 3, 1854*
6. Where were you born? *Floyd Co. Georgia*
7. Are you married? *Yes.*
8. Name and age of wife or husband: *Samuel H. Albertson - Age 55*
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee*
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Arleethy E. Alexander</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>Mar. 23, 1876</i> |
| (2) | <i>Wm J. Albertson</i>       | <i>28</i> | <i>Feb 22, 1879</i>  |
| (3) | <i>Birdie Laffoon</i>        | <i>25</i> | <i>June 21, 1882</i> |
| (4) | _____                        | _____     | _____                |
| (5) | _____                        | _____     | _____                |
| (6) | _____                        | _____     | _____                |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: *Wm A. Henderson, Thebr C. Henderson, Thebr Caroline Fincher*

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: *Thebr Caroline Fincher*

12. Where were they born?  
Father: *Floyd County Georgia*  
Mother: *Greer Co*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Gordon Co Georgia

Mother: Gordon Co "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Yet living

Mother: November 1897

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                      | BORN.                 | DIED.                 |
|-----|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Chas. H. Henderson</u>  | <u>Nov. 15, 1866.</u> |                       |
| (2) | <u>Margaret Henderson</u>  | <u>June 21, 1868,</u> | <u>Nov. 15, 1902.</u> |
| (3) | <u>Robert O. Henderson</u> | <u>Apr. 14, 1871</u>  |                       |
| (4) |                            |                       |                       |
| (5) |                            |                       |                       |
| (6) |                            |                       |                       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                 | MOTHER'S SIDE.                                      |
|--------------------------------|---|
| <u>Strawberry Henderson</u>    | <u>Wm. Thomas Paine</u>                             |
| <u>Mary Christine Anderson</u> | <u>Joseph Trenchard</u>                             |
|                                | <u>Lucinda Elliott Trenchard</u>                    |
|                                | <u>Joseph Trenchard's mother was Caroline King.</u> |

18. Where were they born? South Carolina and Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

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| (1) |  |
| (2) |  |
| (3) |  |
| (4) |  |
| (5) |  |
| (6) |  |

No possible

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

*none whatever*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

*My mother Caroline Tischer (maiden name) her father was Joseph Tischer and his mother was Theba Caroline Word*

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*The grant mother Caroline Word referred to the Theba might possibly be a nick name. Joseph Tischer was born in 1802. He had two brothers Jim and Elias*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature *Sarah Lucinda Albertson*)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *August* 1907.

*J. H. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

*June 13* 19*10*.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_

and *U. Smith*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Sarah Lucinda Albertson*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *32* years and

*32* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *them* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. T. Whitt*  
*A. J. Whitt*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *August* 1907.

My commission expires

*June 13* 19*10*. *J. H. Quinn*  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

CITY OF BOSTON  
EASTERN DISTRICT  
Rec. AUG 21 1907  
No.

JNO. R. DANIEL,  
BONDED ABTRACTER

SUCCESSOR TO  
J. O. MCCOLLISTER  
EMMETT WINTER  
W. A. DARBY  
MANGUM, OKLAHOMA

COMPLETE SET OF ABSTRACT BOOKS  
NOTARY IN OFFICE

My commission expires on the 1st day of May, 1916.  
I hereby certify that the above named person is a resident of the State of Oklahoma and is qualified to act as a Notary Public in and for the County of [ ] State of Oklahoma.  
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office at Mangum, Oklahoma, this [ ] day of [ ] 1916.  
JNO R Daniel  
Mrs Albertson can secure sufficient affidavits of identity; that is to identify the child's parents, grand parents, etc.  
Daniel.

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file

JNO. R. DANIEL,  
BONDED ABTRACTER

SUCCESSOR TO  
J. O. MCCOLLISTER  
EMMETT WINTER  
W. A. DARBY  
MANGUM, OKLAHOMA

COMPLETE SET OF ABSTRACT BOOKS  
NOTARY IN OFFICE

August 20, 1907.

Special Commissioner Court of Claims,  
Washington, D. C.

Herewith three applications, each accompanied by one Dollar to  
pay cost.

Very truly yours.

*Sarah, Lucinda Albertson*  
*Mangum*  
*Okla*



App-----

August 28, 1907.

Mrs. S. W. Albertson,

Mangum,

Oklahoma.

Madam:-

Your letter of August 20, 1907, inclosing four applications for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund and \$4.00 in cash for filing these claims, is at hand.

The money is returned to you, herewith, as there are no charges for filing and considering these applications.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.  
4 inclosures.

April. "08706

May 7, 1908.

Sarah L. Liberton,  
Ohio.

Dear Sir:

Relative to your application for participation  
in the ... ..  
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Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

CAB/ALB

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEYOKEE  
MAY 15 1908

appl. # 36766

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims  
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
601 O'Gray Building Washington, D. C.

Mangum Okla  
May 11 1908

Sir:

My Parent through whom I claim was born in 1832 in Troop county Ga. She was raised in Cherokee county Ga.

My Grand Parents resided in Troop county Ga in 1834-35

My Grand Parents were not slaves. My Grand-Father Joseph Fincher was half Indian. My great grandmother Pheby Caroline (Ward) Fincher was a full blood Eastern Cherokee Indian. I was never enrolled by the Dawes Commission Sarah L. Albertson  
36766

Sarah L. Albertson.

#36766.

Sarah L. Albertson being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Sarah L. Albertson, and I live at Mangum, Okla. I am 54 years old. I claim my Indian descent through my mother, Phoebe C. Henderson nee Fincher. She died in Ga. She was 62 years old at the time of her death in 1897. She was born in Troope County, raised in Cherokee County, married in Floyd County. My grandfather, her father, told me that his mother was a Cherokee Indian. My grandfather was named Joseph Fincher. And his mother, the Cherokee Indian, was named Phoebe Caroline Ward. Joseph Fincher was born in 1802 in S.C. and died when he was 83 years old near Dalton, Ga. I think my great grandmother, the Indian, was in N.C. or Ga. when my great grandfather married her, and after her marriage they went to S.C. where my grandfather was born. It is my understanding the Phoebe was a recognized Cherokee Indian. I never heard of any of my people ever getting any money from the government on account of their Indian blood. They hid about in Ga. afraid that they would be made to leave with the Indians, and that is the reason they were never enrolled. There are some ~~xxxx~~ Parks living in Chelsea, Okla. who are occupying land they got on account of their Indian blood, and they may be some connections of mine, for their great grandmother was a Ward, and they say they believe that she was a sister or a cousin of my great grandmother. They have told me this. I never applied for my rights under the Dawes Commission. We were down in Tex. at that time and were too late getting about making our applications.

Sarah L. Albertson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of  
Oct. 908, at Mangum, Okla.

J. E. Taylor  
Asst. to Special Commissioner  
Court of Claims.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 14 1909  
No. 36766

notice  
4/10



Mcangum Okla

June 9. 1908

Grison Miller

Washington D. C.

Sir:

As I havent heard any thing  
from the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment  
Since last Oct. J. Edward Taylor told me  
we would hear probly: in March  
April or May. please write me if  
any thing has done with it yet

Very respectfully

Sarah L. Albertson

Application

No. 36706.)

No 36747.

Action: *Reject*

Name *William Fullerton* and / children. Residence *Margum Chla*

Reasons:

*one of 36744*

*16/10/77*

No. 36767-70,

Name .....

With No. 36766,

Remarks:

*[Faint handwritten notes, possibly describing a specimen or collection.]*

No. 3867/17

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. Felton Albertson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Felton Albertson

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Manquim

3. County: Greer

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 28 yrs Born Feb 22, 1879

6. Where were you born? Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie (Rush) Albertson 22 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? he Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.            | BORN.                |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Samuel Wilburn</u> | <u>one year</u> | <u>Feb, 3rd 1906</u> |
| (2) | <u>Albertson</u>      | <u>and six</u>  |                      |
| (3) |                       | <u>month</u>    |                      |
| (4) |                       |                 |                      |
| (5) |                       |                 |                      |
| (6) |                       |                 |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel W. Albertson

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Sarah Lucinda Albertson

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Sarah Lucinda Henderson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.         | DIED.  |
|-----|----------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | Arlethy E. Albertson | March 23 1876 | Living |
|     | Alexander            |               |        |

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) Birdie C. Laffoon June 21 1882 Living  
(nee Albertson)

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Samuel M. Albertson | Wm. H. Henderson and |
| Susanna Albertson   | Caroline Henderson   |
|                     | (nee Fincher)        |

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) ~~Charles H. Henderson~~

(2) ~~Lucinda~~

1 (3) Sarah Lucinda Albertson Mangum Orla

2 (4) Charles H. Henderson Dalton Ga

3 (5) Arlethy Henderson (Phy.) Dead

4 (6) Robert S. Henderson Summerville Ga



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Samuel W. Albertson  
Sarah Lucinda (Henderson) Albertson  
Wm H. Henderson and Caroline (Fincher) Henderson

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother's maiden name was  
Caroline Fincher her Father's name was  
Joseph Fincher his Mother's maiden name was  
Phoebe Caroline Ward

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature William Felton Albertson)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

John R. Daniel  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 26, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. P. Sides  
and F. P. Sanders, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William Felton Albertson  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 11 years and  
14 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. P. Sides  
F. P. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 26

1910.

John R. Daniel  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No 36768

Action: Ref ect

Name Lucinda G Rhyme and

children.

Residence:

Wilmington N.C.

Reasons:

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Grand daughter of 36766

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No. 11118

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Lucinda, Lois Rhyme*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Lucina, Lois, Rhyme*

Indian name: *none*

2. Residence and post office: *Manquim*

3. County: *Greene*

4. State: *Oklahoma*

5. How old are you? *7 years* Born *Feb 15 1900*

6. Where were you born? *near Manquim Oklahoma*

7. Are you married? *no*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *The Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Sidney Rhyme*

Indian name: *none*

Mother—English name: *Alletty Rhyme*

Indian name: *none*

Maiden name: *Alletty Henderson*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Ga*

Mother: *Dutton Whitfield County Georgia*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: They weren't born at that time

Mother: not born at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: we heard he was killed in Ark. in 1902

Mother: Died at Mangum Okla. November 15, 1902

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.       | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | 4 have no   |       |       |
|     | Brothers or |       |       |
| (2) | Sisters     |       |       |
| (3) |             |       |       |
| (4) |             |       |       |
| (5) |             |       |       |
| (6) |             |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE. | MOTHER'S SIDE.     |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Don't know     | Wm H Henderson     |
|                | Caroline Henderson |
|                | (nee Fincher)      |

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                           |                |
|-----|---------------------------|----------------|
| (1) | Sarah Lucinda Albertson   | Mangum Okla    |
| (2) | Charles H Henderson       | Laurens Ga     |
| (3) | Alcethy (Henderson) Rhyme | (Dead)         |
| (4) | Robert Henderson          | Summerville Ga |
| (5) |                           |                |
| (6) |                           |                |

Lucinda Lois Rhyme



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Sidney Rhyme  
Arleetty (Henderson) Rhyme Wm. Henderson  
Phoebe Caroline (Fincher) Henderson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)  
My Grandmother's maiden name was Phoebe  
Caroline Fincher, her Father's name was  
Joseph Fincher his mother's was Phoebe  
Caroline Ward

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Lucinda Lois Rhyme

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. P. Sides  
and B. R. Cameron, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Lucinda Lois Rhyme  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and  
7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she is represented  
to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. P. Sides

B. R. Cameron

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 26

1910

Jno. R. Daniel

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Action *Rejoice*

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description of the same

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Delaney E. O'Brien*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.               | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|---------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | Jessie M. Alexander | 13   |       |
| (2) | Robert E. "         | 11   |       |
| (3) | Ressie O. "         | 8    |       |
| (4) | Daniel "            | 6    |       |
| (5) |                     |      |       |
| (6) |                     |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel H. Herbertson  
Indian name: none  
Mother—English name: Sarah Lucinda Herbertson  
Indian name: none  
Maiden name: Sarah Lucinda Anderson

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN.         | DIED.  |
|-----|------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | John H. Anderson | Feb 22, 1879. | Living |

|     |                 |                |     |
|-----|-----------------|----------------|-----|
| (2) | Kirac (Laffoon) | June 21, 1882. | " " |
|-----|-----------------|----------------|-----|

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| (6) |  |  |  |
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James W. Albertson  
Susanna Albertson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John H. Anderson and  
Caroline (Tucker) Anderson

18. Where were they born? Ia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                         |                  |
|-----|-------------------------|------------------|
| (1) | Sarah Lucinda Albertson | Mankato Okla.    |
| (2) | Charles H. Anderson     | Lafayette Ga.    |
| (3) | Archie (Anderson) Rhine | Dead             |
| (4) | Robert W. Anderson      | Summerville, Ga. |
| (5) |                         |                  |
| (6) |                         |                  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Samuel J. Peterson

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Daughter (nee) *Henderson* *Albertson* *Km H and Caroline Henderson*

*Joseph and Lucinda Fincher / Jesse and Caroline Fincher*  
*(one ward)*

## REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Her grand mother's maiden name was Theba Barker.  
 Her father's name was Joseph Barker, his mother's  
 maiden name was Theba Caroline Ward.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature

Orleathy & Alexander

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.. 22 day of August 1907.

Notary Public.  
Superior Court.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me.

a. b. Alexander. J. b. Alexander.

and ... who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with... *Mr Lecky & Alexander*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Alexander  
G. S. Alexander

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

Sworn the first 1904 J. N. Bush Clerk  
Superior Court. Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



# 36769

App. ----

August 28, 1907.

Arleethy E. Alexander,  
Summerville,  
Georgia.

Sir:-

Your letter of recent date inclosing your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund and \$1.00 in cash for filing your claim, is at hand.

The money is returned to you, herewith, as there are no charges for filing and considering these applications.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. NOV 6 1907  
No. 36769

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NOV 6 1907

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No 86770

Action: *Relect*

Name: *Lidia G. Luffoon*, and / children. Residence: *Naragansett*

Reason: *Daughter of S. Luffoon*

86770

No. ....

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Birdie, Caroline, Lafford*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Birdie, Caroline Laffoon*

Indian name: *none*

2. Residence and post office: *Mangum*

3. County: *Greer*

4. State: *Okla.*

5. How old are you? *25 yrs* Born *June 21 1882*

6. Where were you born? *Georgia*

7. Are you married? *Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *George Martin Laffoon* age *48*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *The Cherokee* years

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.           | BORN.                |
|-----|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Felton, M. Laffoon</i> | <i>7 years</i> | <i>Aug. 19, 1900</i> |
| (2) |                           |                |                      |
| (3) |                           |                |                      |
| (4) |                           |                |                      |
| (5) |                           |                |                      |
| (6) |                           |                |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Samuel W. Albertson*

Indian name: *none*

Mother—English name: *Sarah Lucinda Albertson*

Indian name: *none*

Maiden name: *Sarah Lucinda Henderson*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Georgia*

Mother: *Georgia*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                  | BORN.         | DIED.  |
|-----|--|---------------|--------|
| (1) | Arleth E. Alexander<br>(nee Albertson) | March 23 1876 | Living |

|     |                 |             |        |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|--------|
| (2) | Wm F. Albertson | Feb 22 1878 | Living |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|--------|

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| (5) |  |  |  |
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| (6) |  |  |  |
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.      | MOTHER'S SIDE.                      |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Samuel W. Albertson | Wm H. Henderson                     |
| Susanna Albertson   | Caroline Henderson<br>(nee Fincher) |

18. Where were they born? Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Sarah Lucinda Albertson Mangum Okla,

(2) Charles H. Henderson Dalton Ga

(3) Arleth E. Henderson (Rhyme) Dead

(4) Robert A. Henderson Summerville Ga

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Samuel M. Albertson

Sarah Lucinda (Henderson) Albertson Wm. H. Henderson  
Pheba Caroline Henderson (ne Fincher) Joseph & Lucinda  
Fincher - Jesse Fincher and his mother's maiden name was  
Pheba Caroline Ward

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grandmother's maiden name was Pheba Caroline  
Fincher her father's name was Joseph Fincher his mother's  
maiden name was Pheba Caroline ~~Fincher~~  
Ward

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Birdie Caroline Laffoon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

Geo R. Daniel

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Sept 26

1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

H. P. Sides

and

F. P. Sanders

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Birdie Caroline Laffoon

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and

11

years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself

to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. P. Sides  
F. P. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Sept 26

1910.

Geo R. Daniel

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 1771

Action: Special

Name: Mrs. Henry Smith and 1 children. Residence: Arcadia, Ind.

Reason: For appeal of 10-11-12 and same date

10-11-12

No 36771-73,

Name

With No. 30776-

Remarks:

Mean 30776-  
Paving & Mch.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*H. M. Wiley Smith*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLERK OF COURT.  
KONAWA, IND. 111

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| ANDERSON P. CAGLE |
| CLERK OF COURT    |
| KONAWA, IND. 111  |



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: William Wiley Smith  
Indian name: have none

2. Residence and post office: Corsicana, Col. Treadwell

3. County: Navarro

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 30 Born Feb. 26, 1877

6. Where were you born? Navarro Co. Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife ~~or husband~~: Susan C. Smith age 22: Dead

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~or she~~ belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None.

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (2) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (4) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (5) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (6) | ..... | ..... | ..... |

II. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: .....

Father—English name: Felix Jackson Smith  
Indian name: .....

Mother—English name: Lucinda P. Smith - 5131

Indian name: .....

Maiden name: Lucinda P. McNeely

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Perry Co. Alabama.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Navarro Co. Texas

Mother: Pickens Co. Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 18

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                     | BORN.         | <sup>Born</sup><br><del>DIED.</del> |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary L. Seale</u>      | <u>age 34</u> | <u>Aug. 8, 1874</u>                 |
| (2) | <u>Francis L. Breland</u> | <u>" 30</u>   | <u>Oct. 29, 1874</u>                |
| (3) | <u>Alonzo Smith</u>       | <u>" 28</u>   | <u>June 18, 1874</u>                |
| (4) | <u>Nannie A. Weeks</u>    | <u>" 23</u>   | <u>April 1, 1884</u>                |
| (5) | <u></u>                   | <u></u>       | <u></u>                             |
| (6) | <u></u>                   | <u></u>       | <u></u>                             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jack Smith  
Fannie Smith nee  
Fannie Cooper

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bob McNealey  
Charlotte Franklin Mc  
Nealey, under whom I  
claim.

18. Where were they born? Charlotte was born in Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Charlotte was dead;  
died 1841

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Children are all dead. no heirs, ed  
(2) far as I know.  
(3)   
(4)   
(5)   
(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother's name is Lucinda P. Smith, nee M<sup>e</sup> Neely, a daughter of Charlotte Franklin M<sup>e</sup> Neely who was a daughter of Mary Ellen

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Franklin who was a daughter of Charlotte Nation who was a full blood Indian and under whom I claim. Her name is registered as an Indian on Indian Records at Boggy Ind. Ter., so I am informed

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. and believe.

(Signature) W<sup>m</sup> M. Huggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug. 1907.

L. Treadwell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Huggins  
and J. C. Wells, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with William Wiley Smith  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Huggins  
J. C. Wells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909.

Treadwell  
Notary Public.

Note. — Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not

be, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an agent or a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Wm. H. Smith,*  
*Corsicana,*  
*Texas.*

*W. L. Treadwell*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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WILLIAMSON PRINTING CO., DALLAS.



# Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas  
COUNTY OF Navarro

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I William Wiley Smith  
for the county of Navarro state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Corrigan, Texas. J. L. Treadwell

J. C. Wells.  
W. W. Treadwell  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Wm Wiley Smith  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Navarro Be it known on the 17 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Wm Wiley Smith, who after having read over to him  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not  
paid his attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jun. 1 1908

[L. S.]

L. Treadwell

And now to witness 20 day of Aug 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle  
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 20 day of Aug 1907

My commission expires

W. W. Treadwell  
Notary Public

No. 1677

Action: *Spelled*

Name

*Mary*

and

children.

Residence:

*near Texas*

Reasons:

*Change of name and of name of children*

36772



No. 10

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary L. Seelye*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
AUG 21 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary Luvencia Seelye  
Indian name: Dont know.

2. Residence and post office: Corriscana, Tex. G. L. Treadwell

3. County: Navarro

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 34 Born Aug. 8, 1872

6. Where were you born? Navarro Co. Tex.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: C. P. Seelye age 50

9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.      | BORN.                |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Ella Clarkson</u>     | <u>18</u> | <u>Nov. 19, 1889</u> |
| (2) | <u>Laura B. Cooper</u>   | <u>15</u> | <u>Apr. 5, 1892</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Georgia C. Cooper</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>Aug. 14, 1893</u> |
| (4) | <u>Ardelta Seelye</u>    | <u>10</u> | <u>June 12, 1897</u> |
| (5) | <u>Wm. J. "</u>          | <u>7</u>  | <u>Feb. 4, 1900</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Frankie L. "</u>      | <u>4</u>  | <u>Aug. 12, 1902</u> |
| (7) | <u>Joseph J. Seelye</u>  | <u>2</u>  | <u>Feb. 2, 1902</u>  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Felix Jackson Smith

Indian name: had none

Mother—English name: Lucinda P. Smith

Indian name: Do not know

Maiden name: Lucinda P. McNeely

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Perry Co. Ala.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Navarro Co. Texas

Mother: Pickens Co. Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Mother enrolled about

11 yrs. ago but received nothing

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | age<br>Born | Born<br>Died  |
|-----|--------------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | Francis L. Bruland | 32          | Oct. 29, 1874 |
| (2) | Wm. Wiley Smith    | 30          | Feb. 26, 1877 |
| (3) | Alonzo Smith       | 28          | June 18, 1879 |
| (4) | Nannie A. Meeks    | 23          | April 1, 1884 |
| (5) |                    |             |               |
| (6) |                    |             |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Jack Smith

Fannie Smith

nee Cooper

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bob McNeely

Charlotte Franklin

McNeely

18. Where were they born? Charlotte F. McNeely in Ala.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Died in 1841

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Mary E. McNeely Dead

(2) Lucinda F. " "

(3) Isom Franklin "

(4) Ligo Franklin "

(5) All dead excepting my mother

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Lou P. Smith (nee Mc Neeley) was my mother, daughter of Charlotte Franklin Mc Neeley who was a daughter of Mary Ellen Franklin who was a daughter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

of Charlotte Watson, an Indian whose name is registered on Indian Records at Boggy, I. T. believed to be a Cherokee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Luvenia Seelye

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

L Treadwell

Notary Public

My commission expires

June 10<sup>th</sup>, 1909

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. C. Wells

and W. M. Huggins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Luvenia Seelye

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. C. Wells

W. M. Huggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1907 L Treadwell

Notary Public.

NOTE: Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Mary L. Seelye*  
*Corrigan,*  
*Texas,*  
*By L. Treadwell*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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WILLIAMSON PRINTING CO., DALLAS.



## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF

Texas

COUNTY OF

Navarro

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Mary Louvenia Seelye

for the county of

Navarro

state of

Texas

do hereby

make, constitute and appoint ANDERRSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is

Corriscana, Texas. To L. Treadwell

J. O. Wells  
H. M. Higgins  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Mary Louvenia Seelye  
Signature.

State of

Texas

County of

Navarro

Be it known on the 17 day of Aug 1907

personally appeared

Mary L. Seelye

, who after having read over to her

in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires

[L. S.]

June 1st 1909

L. Treadwell

And now to witness 20 day of Aug 1907, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and date above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this

20 day of

Aug

1907



|            |                     |         |           |
|------------|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| No.        | 1111                | Action: | reported  |
| Full Name  | John J. Smith       | and     | children. |
| Residence: | 123 Main St. N.Y.C. |         |           |
| Remarks:   | See serial 1111     |         |           |

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Nannie A. Meeks*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
10, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
Clerk of Court,  
KONA, HAWAII, U. S. D. TER.

JUN 22 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nannie Ardella Meeks

Indian name: Nannie Ardella Meeks

2. Residence and post office: Corviana, Tex. G. L. Treadwell

3. County: Navarro

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 23 Born April 1, 1884

6. Where were you born? Navarro Co. Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: A. D. Meeks age 35

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                    | AGE.     | BORN.                |
|-----|--------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Mary Ellen Meeks</u>  | <u>5</u> | <u>Jan. 1, 1902</u>  |
| (2) | <u>Rachael May Meeks</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>Mar. 13, 1904</u> |
| (3) |                          |          |                      |
| (4) |                          |          |                      |
| (5) |                          |          |                      |
| (6) |                          |          |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Felix Jackson Smith

Indian name: Had none

Mother—English name: Lucinda P. Smith

Indian name: Don't know

Maiden name: Lucinda P. McNeely

12. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Perry Co. Ala.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Navarro Co. Texas.

Mother: Pickens Co. Ala.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | age<br>Born. | Born<br>Date. |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|---------------|
| (1) | Mary L. Sedye      | 34           | Aug. 8, 1872  |
| (2) | Francis L. Breland | 32           | Oct. 29, 1874 |
| (3) | Wm. Wiley Smith    | 30           | Feb. 26, 1877 |
| (4) | Alonzo Smith       | 28           | June 18, 1877 |
| (5) |                    |              |               |
| (6) |                    |              |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jack Smith  
Fannie Smith  
(nee Cooper)  
both English

Bob W. C. Neeley Eng.  
Charlotte F. W. C. Neeley  
under whom I claim

18. Where were they born? Charlotte Franklin in Ga.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Died in 1841

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) all dead excepting my mother

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother was Lou P. McNeely (now Smith) daughter of Charlotte Franklin McNeely who was a daughter

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

of Mary Ellen Franklin who was a daughter of Charlotte Watson, an Indian whose name is registered on Indian Records at Boggy, I. T. believed to be a Cherokee.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mannie Ardella Meeks

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

L. Freadwell  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. M. Huggins  
and J. C. Wells, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Mannie Ardella Meeks  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. M. Huggins  
J. C. Wells

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

June 1, 1909 L. Freadwell  
Notary Public.

NOTE. — Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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APPLICATION  
Power of Attorney and  
Contract

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For *Nannie A. Meeks*  
*Corrigan,*  
*Texas.*  
*W. L. Treadwell*

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FILED BY  
ANDERSON P. CAGLE,  
CLAIM AGENT,  
KONAWA, I. T.

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## Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas

COUNTY OF Navarro

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Nannie Ardella Weeks  
for the county of Navarro state of Texas do hereby  
make, constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O.,  
my true and lawful attorney, for me and heirs and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim,  
now or hereafter pending before the Special Commissioner's Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., for  
money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my pro rata share of said funds, and I  
hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in  
the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee  
of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in  
the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in  
whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid  
to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in  
said claim. My post office is Corsicana, Texas. C/o L. Trudwell

J. C. Wells  
(Two witnesses who can write sign here)

Nannie Ardella Weeks  
Signature.

State of Texas County of Navarro. Be it known on the 17 day of Aug 1907  
personally appeared Nannie A. Weeks, who after having read over to her  
in the presence of the attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after  
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not  
paid her attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires

[L. S.]

June 1 1909

L. Trudwell  
Nannie Ardella Weeks  
Notary Pub. Navarro Co. Tex

And now to witness 16 day of August 1907, I accept the foregoing declara-  
tion, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the  
interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant  
above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) two dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.

Anderson P. Cagle

Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who  
having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act.

Witness my hand and seal this 16 day of Aug 1907

L. Trudwell  
Nannie Ardella Weeks

No 36774

Action: Report

Name: [illegible] and children. Residence: [illegible]

Reasons:

[illegible handwritten text]

36774

No. 36774.  
Name J. M. P. L. S.  
With No. 5181  
Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

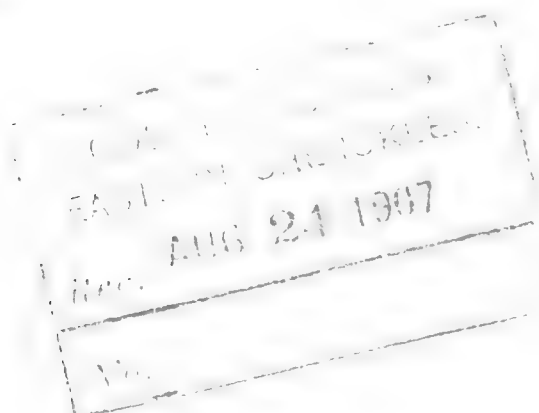
APPLICATION

OF

*John B. Bryan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: \_\_\_\_\_

3. County: \_\_\_\_\_

4. State: \_\_\_\_\_

5. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_

Born \_\_\_\_\_

6. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Where were they born? \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: was not born

Mother: was not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not yet deceased

Mother: not yet deceased

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: They were not

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                   | BORN.               | DIED. |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Sherrigan Pinyan</u> | <u>Feb. 2, 1885</u> |       |
|     | <u>Ball Ground Ga.</u>  |                     |       |
| (2) | <u>Joseph Pinyan</u>    | <u>May 6, 1885</u>  |       |
|     | <u>Lat. Ground</u>      |                     |       |
| (3) |                         |                     |       |
| (4) |                         |                     |       |
| (5) |                         |                     |       |
| (6) |                         |                     |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                     | MOTHER'S SIDE.                        |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <u>Cacah Pinyan (English name)</u> | <u>William (Cacah) (Indian blood)</u> |
| <u>Matilda Hide</u>                | <u>Susan Bailey</u>                   |

18. Where were they born? and father from Indian born near Louisville, with Indian

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lawson Co. Georgia

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                      |  |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>John Pinyan</u>   | <u>Date born Co. Georgia</u>             |
| (2) | <u>John Pinyan</u>   | <u>deceased</u>                          |
| (3) | <u>James Pinyan</u>  | <u>deceased</u>                          |
| (4) | <u>Paul Pinyan</u>   | <u>Ball Ground Che. area Co. Georgia</u> |
| (5) | <u>Harold Pinyan</u> | <u>deceased</u>                          |
| (6) |                      |  |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: (1) Parents name, <sup>father</sup> Ancil Coleman Pinyan (2) Grand Father Jacob Pinyan, (3) Great Grand Father Stokes Pinyan the wife of Stokes Pinyan was the daughter of Poyon Valley, who was a part Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug 1907.

James Price

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Aug 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and James Pinyan who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Pinyan who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. W. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

26 day of Aug

1907.

My commission expires

Aug 1, 1908

James Price

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36775  
Name *Mr. R. H. Hester* and children. Action: *Report*  
Residence: *Lincoln, Ohio*  
Reasons: *Allegation of immorality*

36775

No. 36775  
Name 715 2 1/2 in  
With No. 357 22

Remarks:



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No. 36775

Name W<sup>m</sup>. L. Goodenow

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 36776 7-8 9,

36820, 37619,

30 grouped herewith.

Not seen all

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

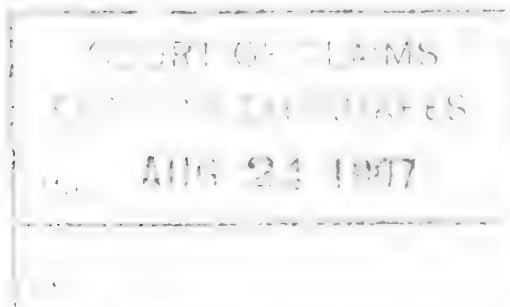
APPLICATION

OF

*William Levi Henderson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*W. H. Robinson*  
*Att'y*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: William Levi Goodnow

Indian name: Wad

2. Residence and post office: Livingston Co Ohio

3. County: Allen

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 57 Born ap 24 - 1850

6. Where were you born? Allen Co Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

+8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|       | NAME.                     | AGE.      | BORN.         |
|-------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------|
| + (1) | <u>Donald Guy Goodnow</u> | <u>20</u> | <u>a 1882</u> |
| - (2) | <u>Edith Goodnow</u>      | <u>13</u> | <u>1894</u>   |
| (3)   | _____                     | _____     | _____         |
| (4)   | _____                     | _____     | _____         |
| (5)   | _____                     | _____     | _____         |
| (6)   | _____                     | _____     | _____         |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: William Goodnow

Indian name: Wad

Mother—English name: Mary Goodnow

Indian name: Wad

Maiden name: Mary Wad

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 27 1887

Mother: Nov 30 1888

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.              | DIED.              |
|-----|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Horace Lane Korian</u><br><u>Garden Lane Ohio</u>            | <u>Feb 8 1844</u>  |                    |
| (2) | <u>Sarah Eliza Cress</u><br><u>West Minister Ohio</u>           | <u>Jan 3 1840</u>  |                    |
| (3) | <u>Leinasia Lane Korian</u><br><u>Building Building La Ohio</u> | <u>Mar 14 1847</u> |                    |
| (4) | <u>Leinasia Lane Korian</u><br><u>Augusta Kansas</u>            | <u>Mar 29 1843</u> |                    |
| (5) | <u>Laura Marcia Korian</u>                                      |                    | <u>Sept 8 1888</u> |
| (6) | <u>Josephine Squagun Korian</u>                                 |                    | <u>Dec 15 1888</u> |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.         | MOTHER'S SIDE.          |
|------------------------|-------------------------|
| <u>Levi Korian</u>     | <u>John Ford</u>        |
| <u>Leinasia Korian</u> | <u>Susan Ford</u>       |
|                        | <u>Sharon name Ford</u> |

18. Where were they born? Johns River 1840 Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                             |             |
|-----|-----------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>James Ford</u>           | <u>Ohio</u> |
| (2) | <u>Sarah Ford</u>           | <u>Ohio</u> |
| (3) | <u>Levi Ford</u>            | <u>Ohio</u> |
| (4) | <u>John Ford</u>            | <u>Ohio</u> |
| (5) | <u>Leinasia Lane Korian</u> | <u>Ohio</u> |
| (6) | <u>Martha Lane Korian</u>   | <u>Ohio</u> |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Grand Father John Ford S. Father Levi Goodenow  
Susan Ford S. Mother Argentina Goodenow  
Indian name Ford

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Levi Goodenow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of Aug 1907.

J. H. M. Thomson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 11th, 1907.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Isaac N. Smith  
and Alma A. Rawdle, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Levi Goodenow who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 40 years and 41 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents self to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Isaac N. Smith  
Alma A. Rawdle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

Nov 11th, 1907. J. H. M. Thomson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

1. 1. 1955

May 7, 1955.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,  
S.D.

Sir:

I am writing to you regarding the information  
in the "The New York Times" of May 6, 1955,  
concerning the activities of the "American  
People's Party" and the "American People's  
Party" and the "American People's Party".  
I am writing to you regarding the information  
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People's Party" and the "American People's  
Party" and the "American People's Party".

Very truly yours,  
Special Agent in Charge

No. 1171

Action:

Report.

Name

James, and children.

Residence:

1171, 1172, 1173

Reasons:

(1) 1171, 1172, 1173

36776

No.

No. 36776-79

Name . . . . .

*With No.*

Remarks:

*amst*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

# EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Louisa M. McDonald*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

AUG 21 1907

*W. H. Roberson*  
*Henry Peyton*  
*Attys.*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Louisa June Howard

Indian name: Jord

2. Residence and post office: Garden Grove, Iowa

3. County: Decatur

4. State: Iowa

5. How old are you? 66 Born Oct 15 1841

6. Where were you born? Decatur, Iowa

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: William A. Howard age 70

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                     | AGE.      | BORN.                 |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Clara B. Bennett</u>   | <u>45</u> | <u>Nov 24 1862.</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Nettie N. Rhoades</u>  | <u>41</u> | <u>Sept 3. 1866.</u>  |
| (3) | <u>Sarah E. Parsons</u>   | <u>39</u> | <u>Mar 20. 1868.</u>  |
| (4) | <u>Edas S. Holland</u>    | <u>37</u> | <u>Dec 5. 1870.</u>   |
| (5) | <u>William R. Holland</u> | <u>36</u> | <u>Mar 20. 1871.</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Maud L. Buchanan</u>   | <u>30</u> | <u>April 9. 1877.</u> |
|     | <u>Ellie A. Knapp</u>     | <u>25</u> | <u>April 20 1882.</u> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Harrison

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louisa Howard

Indian name: Jord

Maiden name: Louisa Ford

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Iowa

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Feb 27 - 1887

Mother: Nov 20 1895

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.   | BORN.                | DIED.                    |
|-----|---|----------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Sarah Eliza Crepe</u><br><u>West Chester Ohio</u>                | <u>Jan 30 1840</u>   |                          |
| (2) | <u>Kindarilla Beebe Lhaman</u><br><u>Panthers Panicking Co Ohio</u> | <u>Mar 19 1847</u>   |                          |
| (3) | <u>William Levi Goodnow</u><br><u>Lima Union Co Ohio</u>            | <u>April 20 1850</u> |                          |
| (4) | <u>Laura Marcella Goodnow</u>                                       |                      | <u>died Sept 13 1866</u> |
| (5) | <u>Josephine Leguza Goodnow</u>                                     |                      | <u>died Dec 13 1867</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Cynthia Ann Goodnow</u><br><u>Augusta Kansas</u>                 | <u>March 18 1853</u> |                          |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Levi Goodnow  
Cynthia Goodnow

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Good  
Susan Good  
Andrew Good

18. Where were they born? Ohio

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                             |                                |
|-----|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (1) | <u>James Earl Good</u>      | <u>Sarah Eliza Crepe</u>       |
| (2) | <u>Susan Good</u>           | <u>Kindarilla Beebe Lhaman</u> |
| (3) | <u>William Levi Goodnow</u> | <u>William Levi Goodnow</u>    |
| (4) | <u>Laura Good</u>           | <u>Laura Mary Goodnow</u>      |
| (5) | <u>Josephine Good</u>       | <u>Josephine Goodnow</u>       |
| (6) | <u>Cynthia Ann Good</u>     | <u>Cynthia Ann Goodnow</u>     |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

*No*

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

*G. Father John Ford*

*G. Father Levi Goodenow*

*G. Mother Susan Ford*

*G. Mother Agatha Goodenow*

*Said name Ford*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Lorisa Jane Holland*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*J H Amos*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*July 4*

, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*E Warren Doolittle*

and

*C S Stearns*

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

*Lorisa Jane Holland*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *25* years and

*25* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents

*herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

*E. Warren Doolittle*

*C S Stearns*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*July 4*

, 1909.

*J H Amos*

Notary Public.

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No. 26771

Action:

Report

Name:

Shirley (Lambert) and 1 children.

Residence:

1601 1st Ave

Reasons:

Complaint of mental illness  
and dangerous to self and others.

26771

*Consent*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John C. ...*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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*W. H. Robinson*  
*Atty*



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Lucas O. Parsons

Indian name: Lucas

2. Residence and post office: Lucas

3. County: Lucas

4. State: 2

5. How old are you? 39 Born Mar. 20, 1868

6. Where were you born? Lucas

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John C. Parsons - age 52 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Don't know

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME             | AGE    | BORN           |
|-----|------------------|--------|----------------|
| (0) | Verna L. Parsons | 18 yrs | Sept 18 1887   |
| (1) | Etha R. "        | 18 yrs | July 26 1889   |
| (2) | Ben E. "         | 16 yrs | Mar 23, 1891   |
| (3) | Thomas J. "      | 14 yrs | Dec 8 1893     |
| (4) | Lea A. "         | 12 yrs | Dec 23 1895    |
| (5) | Mary A. "        | 10 yrs | Oct 14 1897    |
| (6) | Oral L. "        | 7 yrs  | Dec 8th 1900   |
| (6) | Lela M. "        | 5 yrs  | July 18th 1902 |
| (7) | Ollie M. "       | 1 yrs  | July 23, 1905  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

M. Holland, Louisa Jane Holland - Louisa Jane Goodner

Father—English name: M. Holland

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Louisa Jane Goodner

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Ohio

Mother: Ohio

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 5

Mother: 5

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 0

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                    | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|--|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Clara B. Holland-Bennett<br>Levin Town   | Nov. 24, 1862 |       |
| (2) | William H. Holland-Ronda<br>Levin Town   | Sept 3, 1866  |       |
| (3) | Samuel E. Holland-Person<br>Levin Town   | Mar. 20 1868  |       |
| (4) | Silas S. Holland<br>Garden Grove Ia      | Dec 5th 1870  |       |
| (5) | Wm R. Holland<br>Jennings Town, Ohio.    | Mar 20 1871   |       |
| (6) | Maud L. Holland-Buchanan<br>Levin Town   | Apr. 9th 1877 |       |
| (7) | Ollie Holland-Knapf<br>Garden Grove Iowa | Apr. 20, 1882 |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Don't know

Don't know

Don't know

Don't know

Don't know

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Ohio I think

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                          |                      |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | Clara B. Holland-Bennett | Levin Town           |
| (2) | William H. Holland-Ronda | Levin Town           |
| (3) | Samuel E. Holland-Person | Levin Town           |
| (4) | Silas S. Holland         | Garden Grove Ia      |
| (5) | Wm R. Holland            | Jennings Town, Ohio. |
| (6) | Maud L. Holland-Buchanan | Levin Town           |
| (7) | Ollie Holland-Knapf      | Garden Grove Iowa    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 2 b

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah E. Parsons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 4<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

L. P. Sigler

and

J. A. Wilson

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Sarah E. Parsons

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

L. P. Sigler

J. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1909.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No.

24778

Action:

Report

Name.

James J. Whelan and

children.

Residence:

Long Beach

Reasons:

(1) ... (2) ... (3) ...

24778

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Charles H. Brown*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

*W. H. Brown*  
*Att'y*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wm C. Buchanan

Indian name: W

2. Residence and post office: Lena Iowa

3. County: Decatur

4. State: Iowa

5. How old are you? 39 Born Sept 6, 1896

6. Where were you born? Decatur County, Iowa

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Riley Buchanan - age 39

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Don't know from knowledge

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.   | BORN.         |
|-----|----------------|--------|---------------|
| (1) | Wm C. Buchanan | 11 yrs | Sept 6, 1896  |
| (2) | Leal "         | 9 yrs  | Jan. 13 1898  |
| (3) | Irma N. "      | 8 yrs  | June 22 1900  |
| (4) | Lucile C. "    | 6 yrs  | Aug. 7 1902   |
| (5) | Helen C. "     | 3 yrs  | June 2 1904   |
| (6) | Melma E. "     | 1 yr   | Apr. 11, 1906 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

M. Holland - Lovie Jane Holland - Louisa Jane Goodnow

Father—English name: Mandrew Holland

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Louisa Jane Holland

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Louisa Jane

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ohio

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Chas. Bennett

Mother: Abigail

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|--|---------------|-------|
| (1) | Clara B. Holland-Bennett<br>Levin, Iowa      | Nov. 24, 1862 |       |
| (2) | Nellie M. Holland-Pleas<br>Levin, Iowa       | Sept 3, 1866  |       |
| (3) | Sarah E. Holland-Pleas<br>Levin, Iowa        | Nov. 26, 1868 |       |
| (4) | Silas S. Holland<br>Garden Grove, Iowa       | Dec. 5th 1870 |       |
| (5) | Wm R. Holland<br>Grange Iowa, Ohio           | Nov 20 1871   |       |
| (6) | Marion L. Holland-Budanan<br>Levin, Iowa     | Apr. 9th 1877 |       |
| (7) | Ellie A. Holland-Knapf<br>Garden Grove, Iowa | Apr. 20 1882  |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

18. Where were they born? Levin, Iowa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Levin, Iowa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                  |                           |
|-----|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Clara B. Holland-Bennett</u>  | <u>Levin, Iowa</u>        |
| (2) | <u>Nellie M. Holland-Pleas</u>   | <u>Levin, Iowa</u>        |
| (3) | <u>Sarah E. Holland-Pleas</u>    | <u>Levin, Iowa</u>        |
| (4) | <u>Silas S. Holland</u>          | <u>Garden Grove, Iowa</u> |
| (5) | <u>Wm R. Holland</u>             | <u>Grange Iowa, Ohio</u>  |
| (6) | <u>Marion L. Holland-Budanan</u> | <u>Levin, Iowa</u>        |
| (7) | <u>Ellie A. Holland-Knapf</u>    | <u>Garden Grove, Iowa</u> |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great Grand Father was John  
not in the  
1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Maud L Buchanan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July 4th, 1909.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me L. P. Sigler

and J. A. Wilson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Maud L. Buchanan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

L. P. Sigler

J. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July 4th, 1909.

[Signature]  
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUN 21 1909  
No. 36778

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V. R. MCGINNIS  
LAWYER

LEON, IOWA, June 18, 1909

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,  
Court of Claims,  
#601 Ouray Bldg.,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:- Your communication of June 10<sup>th</sup> to Maude L. Buchanan of Leon, Iowa, in regard to her application #36778 to the Court of Claims for participation in the fund raised from judgment of Court claims on May 28, 1906 in favor of the Eastern Cherokees has been handed to me. The communication states that the application was reported unfavorable and that the same should be rejected, and that the court entered an order affirming said recommendation, ratifying and approving the same, except as to so much as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1909. I do not know the basis of rejection nor do I have before me the application or any of the affidavits in support thereof. Will you be kind enough to inform me of the ground of the refusal and objection, and also as to whether or not I may obtain a copy of the original application and affidavits. It seems that Mrs Buchanan did not preserve any of these. My desire is to determine upon what ground, if any, exceptions may be filed in the case. Will you be kind enough to give me what information you may have, if any, in regard thereto, and oblige,

Yours truly,

V. R. McGinnis

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |
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| No. 36778                             |

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V. R. MCGINNIS  
LAWYER

LEON, IOWA, Aug. 7, 1909.

Clerk Court of Claims  
East Cherokee Enrollment,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear sir:

As attorney for Maude L. Buchanan of this place whose application for participation in the fund arising from a judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the East Cherokees Number 36778.

I write to obtain a copy of the claim, the proof in support of it and the report of the special commissioner. The commissioner's report was to the effect that this claim should be rejected. I had nothing to do with the matter originally and what I desire to do now is to learn what if anything, can be done to comply with the judgment of the court. I cannot tell what to do without knowing what has been done. I therefore desire a copy of the original application, proof in support of it and the other evidence and the report of the commissioner.

The cost of this copy I will remit to you immediately upon receipt of the above and will you kindly do me the favor to forward this at once, and oblige

Yours very truly,

*V. R. McGinnis*

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. AUG 20 1909  
No. 36778



V. R. McGINNIS  
LAWYER

LEON, IOWA, Aug. 18, 1909.

Guion Miller,  
Washington, D. C.  
My dear sir:

I am sorry to trouble you further in regard to claim #36,778 - Maude L. Buchanan of this place, and others who claim to be descendants of one John Fori, a Cherokee Indian.

These people have had employed an attorney from Augusta, Kansas, until sometime after these claims were reported unfavorable; they have now come to me to get me to file exceptions to the report provided for by order of court of June 10, 1909.

You can readily understand that I cannot file any exceptions without knowing the grounds on which the report is based, and for that reason I wrote to the clerk asking him to send me a copy of the report. In your answer to my letter you simply state that the applicants did not bring themselves within the requirements; also, that in your opinion you set forth the reasons why the claim should be rejected or admitted. What I desire is to obtain a copy of this report in order that I may prepare and file exceptions if any, within the limit of time which is August 31st.

If you are permitted to do so will you be kind enough to have made and forwarded to me a copy of this report and I will immediately remit to you the cost thereof. If I had had charge of this matter in the beginning it would be different but knowing nothing about it until it had finally been passed upon it is practically impossible to take any steps without knowing what has been done, including your findings. While it may be that your findings are conclusive, yet, I would like to do what I can for my clients.

Trusting that you may be able to favor me with a copy of this report, I remain

Yours very truly,

*V. R. McGinnis*

App. No. 36778.

August 20, 1909.

W. H. McGinnis, Atty.,

Leon,

Iowa.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of August 18, 1909, you are advised that the application of Wardo E. Buchanan was reported by me as rejected for the following reasons:

"It does not appear that any ancestor was ever enrolled or that any ancestor was a party to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846. Ancestors did not live in the Cherokee Domain. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokees."

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W.H.M.

No.

2677

Action:

Rejoice

Name

Chas. T. Bell and

and

1 children.

Residence:

St. Louis, Mo.

Reasons:

Unhappy marriage. Claimed that

2677

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

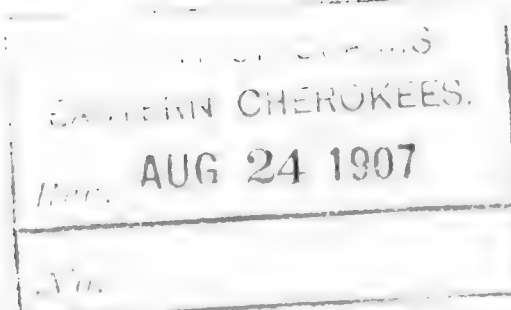
APPLICATION

OF

*Clara B. Bennett*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



*W. H. Robinson*  
*Att'y*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Walter D. Bennett

Indian name: John

2. Residence and post office: Cherokee, Okla.

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 24 Born May 14, 1883

6. Where were you born? Cherokee, Okla.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: None

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE.   | BORN.          |
|-----|----------------|--------|----------------|
| (1) | Eva M. Bennett | 24 yrs | May 14, 1883   |
| (2) | Lillie O. "    | 17 yrs | June 4, 1888   |
| (3) | Essie J. "     | 15 yrs | May 17, 1891   |
| (4) | Earl C. "      | 10 yrs | May 21, 1894   |
| (5) | Emmett O. "    | 7 yrs  | March 19, 1897 |
| (6) | Ira M. "       | 6 yrs  | Oct. 9, 1900   |
| (7) | Chas. M. "     | 3 yrs  | Dec. 12, 1903  |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

M. Holland - Louisa <sup>Jenny</sup> Holland - Louisa Jane Goodnow

Father—English name: Marion Holland

Indian name: Don't know

Mother—English name: Louisa Jane Goodnow

Indian name: Don't know

Maiden name: Louisa Jane Goodnow

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee, Okla.

Mother: Cherokee, Okla.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.  | BORN.          | DIED. |
|-----|--|----------------|-------|
| (1) | Clara B. Holland-Bennett<br>Leon, Iowa       | Nov. 24, 1862  |       |
| (2) | Nellie M. Holland-Rhodes<br>Leon, Iowa       | Sept 3, 1866   |       |
| (3) | Sarah E. Holland-Parsons<br>Leon, Iowa       | March 20, 1868 |       |
| (4) | Silas S. Holland<br>Garden Grove, Iowa       | Dec 5, 1870    |       |
| (5) | Wm R. Holland<br>Youngs Town, Ohio           | Mar. 20, 1871  |       |
| (6) | Maude L. Holland-Buchanan<br>Leon, Iowa      | Apr. 9, 1877   |       |
| (7) | Ollie A. Holland-Kelly<br>Garden Grove, Iowa | April 20, 1882 |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

(Don't know)

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18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? \_\_\_\_\_

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                    |                    |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | John E. Holland    | Leon, Iowa         |
| (2) | William R. Holland | Leon, Iowa         |
| (3) | Clara B. Holland   | Leon, Iowa         |
| (4) | Nellie M. Holland  | Leon, Iowa         |
| (5) | Sarah E. Holland   | Leon, Iowa         |
| (6) | Silas S. Holland   | Garden Grove, Iowa |



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 020

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Clara B. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 4th, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

L. P. Sigler

and

J. A. Wilson

, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Clara B. Bennett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by them are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

L. P. Sigler

J. A. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Aug 1907.

My commission expires

July 4th, 1909.

[Signature]

Notary Public.

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No. 36780.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Walthamiel E. Wilson* and 2 children. Residence: *Heliopolis, Egypt.*

Reasons:

*Grand-son of # 1/809 and claims through  
the same source.*

36780

No 36780.  
Name J. S. Gibson.  
With No. 4809

Remarks:

No. ....

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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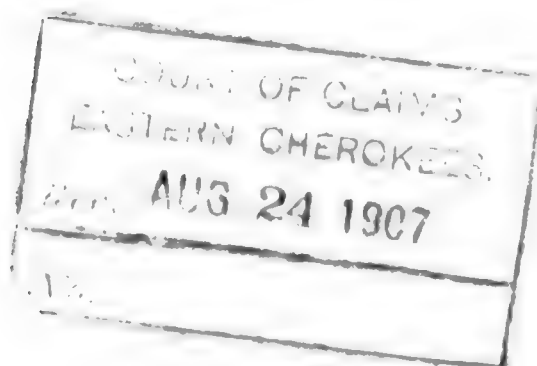
APPLICATION

OF

*Nathaniel Edward Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Nathaniel Edward Wilson*

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Heliatochs*

3. County:

*Polk*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*27*

Born

*Sept 2 1879*

6. Where were you born?

*Murray county Georgia*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Angeline Wilson 25 years old*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*None*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.     | BORN.              |
|-----|----------------------|----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <i>Nellie Wilson</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>June 7 1904</i> |
| (2) | <i>Lelah Wilson</i>  | <i>1</i> | <i>Feb 20 1905</i> |
| (3) |                      |          |                    |
| (4) |                      |          |                    |
| (5) |                      |          |                    |
| (6) |                      |          |                    |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Marion Wilson*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Merthy Wilson*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Merthy Tyler*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Cherokee County Ga*

Mother:

*Murray County Ga*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Was not born in 1851

Mother: Was not born in 1851

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.              | BORN.        | DIED.       |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|-------------|
| (1) | William Wilson     | Oct 26 1876  | Living      |
|     | Heliotrope Tenn.   |              |             |
| (2) | Mary E Blankenship | June 12 1882 | Living      |
|     | Aug Tenn           |              |             |
| (3) | Andrew Wilson      | Nov 16 1894  |             |
|     | Heliotrope Tenn    |              |             |
| (4) | Arnonda Wilson     | Feb 13 1889  | Nov 14 1897 |
|     |                    |              |             |
| (5) | E J Wilson         | Aug 1 1892   |             |
|     | Heliotrope Tenn    |              |             |
| (6) | L S Wilson         | Sept 5 1894  |             |
|     | Heliotrope Tenn    |              |             |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.   | MOTHER'S SIDE.  |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Nathaniel Wilson | Daniel Tyler    |
| Matilda Wilson   | Elizabeth Tyler |

18. Where were they born? North & South Carolina Sumner Co, Ga Bradley Co, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father side Buncom Co, N.C.

Nathaniel side Bradley County Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |                      |
|-----|------------------|----------------------|
| (1) | Eliza Wilson     | Mount. Mountain Ga   |
| (2) | Margaret H. Wood | Died 28 years ago    |
| (3) | Mary Ann Wilson  | Mar koger, Ind, Tex. |
| (4) | Worthy P Wilson  | Heliotrope Tenn      |
| (5) | Rebecca Wilson   | Died 25 years ago    |
| (6) | Sallie Calhoun   | Mount. Mountain Ga   |



Name Born Living  
S E Wilson Sept 15 1899

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother was Martha Tyler

Daughter of Elizabeth Tyler Born in 1835 Daughter of William Nicholson  
Son of Isaac Nicholson who was a full blood Cherokee  
and William Nicholson was on the Roll of 1831 and living in  
Bradley Co Tennessee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Grand mother Tyler tells me that Isaac Nicholson  
was taken with Cherokee Indians when they were  
removed from North Carolina to Ind. Territory

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nathanie E. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifteenth day of July, 1907.

J. F. Park  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July, 1911.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. H. King

and Luke Ross who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Nathanie E. Wilson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Luke Ross

J. H. King  
Luke Ross

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifteenth day of July, 1907.

My commission expires

July, 1911.

J. F. Park  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36781.

Action: *Wife & c.*

Name *H. L. Johnson* and *4* children. Residence: *Madison, Va.*

Reasons:

*Children of 2849 and 28490 through  
the same source*

36781

No...

Name \_\_\_\_\_

*With No.*

Remarks:

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*A. D. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: T. D. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Fairmount R. F. D. No 1

3. County: Gordon

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Gilmer Co., Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Bessie Johnson 20

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                 | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Willie Johnson</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1896</u> |
| (2) | <u>Vernie "</u>       | <u>8</u>  |             |
| (3) | <u>Lois "</u>         | <u>9</u>  |             |
| (4) | <u>Barnes "</u>       | <u>10</u> |             |
| (5) | <u>Homer "</u>        | <u>4</u>  |             |
| (6) | <u>Ada "</u>          | <u>1</u>  |             |
|     | <u>Bublet "</u>       |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: William Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Katherine "

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Katherine M. Williams

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Co. Ga

Mother: " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not learned

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: NO

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                           | BORN. about  | DIED.  |
|-----|---------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | Lester Johnson<br>Good Water Ga | 29 years ago | Living |
| (2) | Gordon Johnson<br>unknown       | 18 " "       | "      |
| (3) | Emily "<br>Roy Ga               | 26 " "       | "      |
| (4) | Charlie "<br>Roy Ga             | 23 " "       | "      |
| (5) |                                 |              |        |
| (6) |                                 |              |        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Johnson

W. C. Milligan

Elizabeth

"

18. Where were they born? unknown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? unknown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Maternal

|     |                       |                 |
|-----|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Lester W. C. Milligan | unknown         |
| (2) | Millie                | unknown         |
| (3) | James W. Johnson      | Lusk Ga         |
| (4) | Ruben P.              | Newport Ga      |
| (5) | Thomas                | Cartersville Ga |
| (6) | John                  | Good Water Ga   |
|     | Mary                  | " "             |
|     | Robert                | " "             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father's name through whom I claim is William Johnson his mother's name Elizabeth Johnson Tomie her mother's name was Tuckahs full blood

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. D. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1907.

Benjamin M. Tilley  
Notary Public

My commission expires

September, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and E. H. Stanley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with W. D. Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. H. Stanley  
E. H. Stanley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

September, 1908. Benjamin M. Tilley  
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 36782.

Action: *Wyeck*

Name *Jas. H. Johnson* and *7* children. Residence: *San, West Va.*

Reasons:

*Son of Oregon and claims through the*  
*same source*

*36782*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*James H. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jess. H. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Sum

3. County: Wayette

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 38 yrs Born Dec 25 1877

6. Where were you born? Gilmer Co. Ga.

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Reubin P. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Martha P. Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Martha P. Marshall

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gilmer Co. Ga.

Mother: Lawson " "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                         | BORN.        | DIED.  |
|-----|-------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| (1) | Jenna L Johnson<br>Sum W. Va. | June 17 1884 | Living |
| (2) | John W. "<br>Newport Ga       | Oct 28 1879  | "      |
| (3) | Albert M. "<br>Newport Ga     | Mar 4 1882   | "      |
| (4) | Nancy E<br>Blairsville Ga     | Dec 14 1886  | "      |
| (5) | Mary<br>Newport Ga            | June 30 1895 | "      |
| (6) | Rachel L<br>Newport Ga        | Aug 9 1892   | "      |
| (7) | Delah<br>Newport Ga           | June 14 1898 | "      |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE     | MOTHER'S SIDE  |
|-------------------|----------------|
| Lincoln Johnson   | Robert Garrett |
| Elizabeth Johnson | Nancy Garrett  |

18. Where were they born? Mrs. Garrett m. S. C. Johnson in N.C. I think

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tanner Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Paternal (1) Jas W. Johnson Luck Ga (2) W. R. Roy Ga (3) G. C. (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100)

Maternal (1) John Garrett, Acworth Ga (2) James (Acworth Ga) (3) Wm. Diamond Ga (4) Sarah (Protection Ga) (5) Eliza (Protection Ga) (6) Nancy (Diamond Ga) (7) Nerva (Newport Ga) (8) Zylphia (Acworth Ga) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100)



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father's name is Rubin Johnson

his mother's name was Elizabeth Jones-Johnson her mother's name was Mary Tony her parents name was Tuckahoe full blood Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jenna L. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Charles Field

and

Edward Ougan

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jenna L. Johnson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 year and

1 year, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Edw Ougan  
Chas Field

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

9<sup>th</sup> day of Aug.

1907.

My commission expires

perpetual

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Robert E. Egan

Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Gas. H. Johnson*  
*Esq., N. Va.*  
Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36782, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 36783.

Action: *reject*

Name *Anna L. Johnson* and *x* children. Residence: *Sim, West Va.*

Reasons:

*I am holder of 25114 and claims through  
the same*

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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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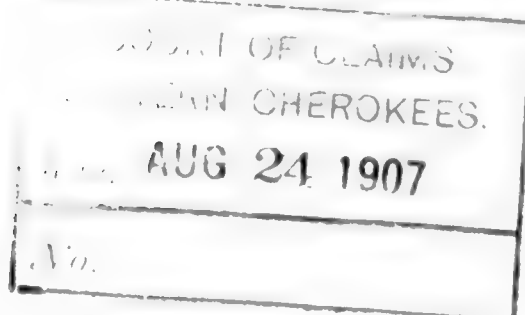
APPLICATION

OF

*James L. Johnson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624





**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Julia S Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Sumner

3. County: Waynes

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 23

Born June 12 1884

6. Where were you born? Sumner Co Ga

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Reubin S Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Murtha J Johnson

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Murtha J Sumrell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Sumner Co Ga

Mother: Sumner Co Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: .....

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.           | BORN.       | DIED.  |
|-----|-----------------|-------------|--------|
| (1) | Jas. H. Johnson | Dec 23 1877 | Living |
|     | Sum W. Va.      |             |        |

(2) John H. . . . . Oct 28 1879 . . . . .  
Newport Ga . . . . .

(3) Albert M. " Mich 4 1882 "

(4) Nancy E. Dec 14 1886  
 Blairsville Ga

(5) Mary  
Newport Ga June 30 1895 "

|     |             |               |   |
|-----|-------------|---------------|---|
| (6) | Rachel L.   | Aug 9 1892    | " |
|     | Newport Ga. |               |   |
|     | Delah       | June 14 1895- | " |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Rinos Johnson

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Robert Garrett

Elizabeth

Nancy Garrett

18. Where were they born? *Mrs. Garrett in S.C. Johnsons in N.C. I think*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hammer Co. Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

Personal (1) Jas. M. Johnson Lusk Ga. (2) W. R. Roy Ga. (3) W. R. Roy  
 (4) W. R. Roy Ga. (5) R. J. Goodwater Ga. (6) Mary Diamond Ga.  
 (7) W. R. Roy Ga. (8) W. R. Roy Ga.

Interest (1) John Garrett Acworth Ga. (2) James Acworth Ga.  
 (3) W. R. Roy Ga. (4) Sarah Protection Ga. (5) Elizabeth  
 (6) W. R. Roy Ga. (7) W. R. Roy Ga. (8) W. R. Roy Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father's name is Reubin P. Johnson his mother's name was Elizabeth Jones-Johnson her mother's name was Mary. My her parents names was unknown both full blood Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) + Gas H. Johnson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1907.

Robert Essex  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

perpetual, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Edward Dugan and John Dugan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Gas H. Johnson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Robert Essex

Signatures of Witnesses.

Edw Dugan  
John Dugan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

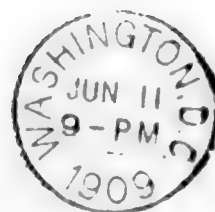
My commission expires

perpetual, 190

Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Anna L. Johnson*  
*Sum, N. Va.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36783, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



No. 36784

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jesse Duncan* and *X* children. Residence: *East Atlanta, Ga.*

Reasons:

*Son of #18622 and claims through the same  
source.*

36784

No. 36784

Name J. Hill, Jr.

With No. 84436

Remarks:

No. ....

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jesse Duncan*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
AUG 24 1907

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Gerse Duncan

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: East Atlanta

3. County: DeKalb

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 47 years Born 1860

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Jane Duncan ne Jackson

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? If this question refers to my wife, she belongs to no tribe, if to me I answer to the Cherokee tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                        | AGE.      | BORN.       |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>William Luther Duncan</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>1881</u> |
| (2) |                              |           |             |
| (3) |                              |           |             |
| (4) |                              |           |             |
| (5) |                              |           |             |
| (6) |                              |           |             |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Early Duncan

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Elvira Duncan

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Elvira Rickard

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee County Georgia

Mother: Habersham County Georgia

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee County Georgia

Mother: Cherokee County Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 1860

Mother: Still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: I can not answer

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.               | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Henrietta Brown     | 1851  |       |
|     | Bogart Ga.          |       |       |
| (2) | Elizabeth Pruitt    | 1854  |       |
|     | Don't know her P.O. |       |       |
| (3) | John H. Duncan      | 1860  |       |
|     | Bogart Ga.          |       |       |
| (4) |                     |       |       |
| (5) |                     |       |       |
| (6) |                     |       |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Enoch Duncan

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Abraham Kirkendol

Elizabeth Alton Kirkendol

18. Where were they born? Abraham Kirkendol in North Carolina and Elizabeth Kirkendol in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? My grandparents Kirkendol resided in Cherokee Co. Ga. in 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John Kirkendol
- (2) Edward S. Kirkendol
- (3) Cornelius Kirkendol
- (4) Jefferson Kirkendol
- (5) Thos. Bruce
- (6) Mary A. Hunt

Emmish Duncan - Bogart Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I have never been enrolled
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See answer to 17

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jesse X. Duncan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Aug, 1907.

John M. Flowers

Comm Milton Co Notary Public

My commission expires

March, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

Thomas L. Collins

and

Vincent P. Johnston

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jesse Duncan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and

25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thos L. Collins

Vincent P. Johnston

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

March

John M. Flowers

Comm Milton Co Notary Public.

NOTE: Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.



No. 76785

Action: Reject

Name Hyatt H. Jones

and 6 children. Residence:

P.O. No. 37,  
Maysville, E  
Ca

Reasons:

son of 73964 and claims through same source.

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No. 36785-

Name H. T. Y. 100000

With No. 32704

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Heatt Henry James*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

SS: *1/27/07*

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wyatt Berry James

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Waynesville, R. F. D. No. 27

3. County: Jackson

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 37 Born July 17, 1868

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County, N. C.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda Angeline, 44

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME.         | AGE.    | BORN.        |
|-----|---------------|---------|--------------|
| (1) | Rosa A. James | 19 yrs. | Sept 3, 1887 |
| (2) | Lottie A. "   | 17 "    | Oct 30, 1889 |
| (3) | Maudie A. "   | 15 "    | Nov 23, 1891 |
| (4) | Ana B. "      | 13 "    | Jan 10, 1894 |
| (5) | Luther B. "   | 10 "    | Nov 7, 1896  |
| (6) | Uphelia B. "  | 8 "     | Jan 22, 1898 |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Wesley James

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Margaret H. Stanton James

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Margaret H. Stanton

12. Where were they born?

Father: Warren County, N. C.

Mother: N. C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee County N.C.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                | BORN.        | DIED.     |
|-----|--------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| (1) | Harney D James,<br>Gainesville Ga.   | 2/28/ 1862.  |           |
| (2) | Matthias E James,<br>Birmingham Ala. | 2/3/ 1864.   |           |
| (3) | Harriet S Whitmore                   | 11/27/ 1865. | 2/4/1903. |
| (4) | Moses P James,<br>Gainesville Ga.    | 10/28/ 1866. |           |
| (5) | Ellen E James,<br>Oklahoma,          | 8/7/ 1871.   |           |
| (6) | Charlie James,<br>Gainesville Ga.    | 10/29/ 1873. |           |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Isa James

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Elizabeth Richardson

18. Where were they born?

N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                 |                 |
|-----|-----------------|-----------------|
| (1) | Alfred James    | Gainesville Ga. |
| (2) | William James   | Murphree N.C.   |
| (3) | Albert James    | Murphree N.C.   |
| (4) | Thomas James    | Murphree N.C.   |
| (5) | Lafayette James | Murphree N.C.   |
| (6) | John James      | Murphree N.C.   |

I have five aunts.  
Will send names if  
necessary. H.H. J.

I have seven other brothers  
and sisters. Will send names  
of all if necessary. H.H. James.



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Asa James, Margaret Richardson, Alfred [unclear], Margaret Howland, Hardy Richardson, Elizabeth Halcomb.

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I make this claim through my relation to Elizabeth Halcomb.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Hyatt Henry James

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22

day of

Aug.

1907

J. M. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

F. T. Hartley and C. Garbrough

and

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Henry Hyatt James

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for

15

years and

20

years, respectively, and know

him

to be the identical person

he

represents

himself

to be, and that the statements made by

him

are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. T. Hartley

C. Garbrough

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22

day of

August

1907.

My commission expires

June

J. M. [unclear]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 786

Action:

Accepted

Name:

David T. Lambton

and

children.

Residence:

Levittown, Penn.

Reasons:

Applicant: as actors were never engaged.  
Does not appear that they were living within the  
limits of the Cherokee Company in 1885-1886 as  
recognized members of the tribe. Does not appear  
that they were ever admitted to Cherokee as recognized  
members of the tribe.

# 36786

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No. 36786

Name David Hampton

With No.

Remarks: Letter Aug 7, 1884

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Not a roll

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*David Humlont*  
*One Chick*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

I. State full name—

English name: David Hampton

Indian name: " Amul

2. Residence and post office: Semiola

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 22 Born 15 Dec 1884

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lula Hampton

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.     | BORN.              |
|-----|----------------------|----------|--------------------|
| (1) | <u>Viola Hampton</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>31 Dec-1904</u> |
| (2) | _____                | _____    | _____              |
| (3) | _____                | _____    | _____              |
| (4) | _____                | _____    | _____              |
| (5) | _____                | _____    | _____              |
| (6) | _____                | _____    | _____              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Bud Ragan

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Mary " (now divorced)

Indian name: " Amul

Maiden name: " Hampton

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1904

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.          | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|----------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Rooper Hampton |       |       |

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| (2) | Miss | " " | not yet the record |
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| (6) |  |  |  |
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17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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|  | Alford Hampton |
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|  | " " |
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|  | Caroline " |
|--|------------|

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|  | " "null |
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18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |              |
|-----|--------------|
| (1) | Jess Hampton |
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|-----|----------|
| (2) | Robert " |
|-----|----------|

|     |          |
|-----|----------|
| (3) | Martha " |
|-----|----------|

|     |         |
|-----|---------|
| (4) | Tilda " |
|-----|---------|

|     |                     |
|-----|---------------------|
| (5) | Mary ("my brother") |
|-----|---------------------|

|     |  |
|-----|--|
| (6) |  |
|-----|--|



21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:.....

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: *Mother name Mary*

*Ragan Maiden name Mary Hampton*  
*her mother Caroline Hampton Maiden name*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Caroline Mull*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*David Hampton*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19* day of *Aug* 1907

*W. J. Hoody*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*April*

19*10*

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

*J. C. Homman*

and *John Leach*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *David Hampton*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents

*himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*J. C. Homman*

*John Leach*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*April*

19*10*

*W. J. Hoody*

Notary Public.

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1885

May 7 1888.

My dear Sir,

I have

Received to your kind letter of the 1st inst. in relation  
to the matter of the 1st inst. and in reply to inform you,

that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

J. H. [Name]

[Address]

[City]

[State]

[Country]

[Post Office]

[Telephone]

[Telegraph]

[Railroad]

[Steamship]

[Aeroplane]

[Automobile]

[Bicycle]

[Horse-drawn carriage]

[Foot-powered carriage]

[Hand-powered carriage]

[Mule-drawn carriage]

[Oxen-drawn carriage]

[Sled]

[Canoe]

[Rowing boat]

[Sailing boat]

[Steamboat]

[Ship]

7403  
App. No. 36786

July 31, 1903.

David Hampton,  
Sorvilla, Tenn.

Sir:-

With reference to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, you are hereby advised that it will be necessary for you to furnish this office with the following information:

Where were the ancestors through whom you claim descent in 1724-5 and 1846? State whether or not at that time they were recognized members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe of Indians. Also state the name or names of any of your ancestors who are slaves.

Unless you furnish the information above asked for, your claim will be rejected. No money is due our Indians, nor in answering to this App. No. 36786.

Very respectfully,

Samuel J. Taylor.

B

H. P. Lee

Asst. Secy. Indian Affairs.

No. 2677  
Name *James D. Bates* and *2* children. Residence: *Smith's Corn*  
Reasons:

*James D. Bates and family*

2677

No. 36-67

Name. Mary J. Smith

With No. 14-24-3

Remarks:

No. 36787

Name Mary A. Bates

With No. 18343

Remarks: Ex Film



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Wm. A. Bates & 3  
children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mary A Bates

Indian name: " " Me Kenney

2. Residence and post office: Sevilla

3. County: Falk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 60 Born May 1847

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Bates 65

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>James G Bates</u> |      |       |
| (2) | <u>Allie</u> "       |      |       |
| (3) | <u>Lillie</u> "      |      |       |
| (4) |                      |      |       |
| (5) |                      |      |       |
| (6) |                      |      |       |

(2)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Jess W Sexton

Indian name: " " Me Kenney

Mother—English name: Lettie Sexton

Indian name: " " Me Kenney +

Maiden name: " " Hovd

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Turn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1898

Mother: 1881

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: the Fox Kenners were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.        | BORN.     | DIED. |
|-----|--------------|-----------|-------|
| (1) | Wm Sexton    | no record |       |
| (2) | Newton 11    |           |       |
| (3) | Roll 11      |           |       |
| (4) | Fredrick 11  |           |       |
|     | Kettie 11    |           |       |
| (5) | Liza 11      |           |       |
|     | Temple 11    |           |       |
| (6) | Sarah 11     |           |       |
|     | Elizabeth 11 |           |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
|  | <u>Releigh Hood</u> |
|  | " " "               |
|  | <u>Anna</u> 11      |
|  | " <u>McKinnis</u>   |

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                |             |
|-----|----------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lettie</u>  | <u>Hood</u> |
| (2) | <u>Palley</u>  | 11          |
| (3) | <u>Lennie</u>  | 11          |
| (4) | <u>Betty</u>   | 11          |
| (5) | <u>Thursie</u> | 11          |
| (6) | <u>Manda</u>   | 11          |
|     | <u>Milton</u>  |             |
|     | <u>John</u>    |             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: do not know

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother name Lettie  
Sister maiden name Lettie Hood her mother  
Anna Hood maiden name Anna McKemie

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

A daughter of Alex McKemie  
my husband Melton Hood went to the  
Territory & drew his land

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary A. Bates

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

W. A. Hoody

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April

1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

N. B. Witt

and

J. A. Hammons

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with

Mary A. Bates

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 50 years and 45 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

N. B. Witt

J. A. Hammons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

April

1910.

W. A. Hoody

Notary Public.

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App. No. 36787

September 6, 1907.

Mary A. Bates,  
Serrilla, Tennessee.

Madam:

Please inform this Office at once as to the exact ages of  
your children.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WEA

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEE  
SEP 16 1907  
AM 40717

*File*



My Opp. No. 36787.

Servillo T. M., 9/16/07  
Special Commissioner of the Land Office  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

In answer to your  
request of 4th will say the  
ages of my children as follows.

|               | Age, | Born.          |
|---------------|------|----------------|
| James Bates,  | 20,  | March, 9, 1887 |
| Ollie " "     | 18   | Feb. 16, 1889  |
| Willie E. " " | 16   | July, 19, 1891 |

This is the ages of my minor  
children, the ones which I suppose  
you refer to.

Very truly,

W. H. Bates



Illico Plains, Tenn.

Aug 21 80

Special Commissioner of  
the Court of Claims of  
the Indian Affairs.

Dear Sir,

As I have heard nothing  
from my train will  
ask of you to please  
let me know if there  
is anything in need  
in the way of proof  
~~of it~~

I will be please to give  
the required information  
if possible

And our Father's name  
was Goldman Bryson  
and his Father would  
be registered Bryson  
or Thomas, and Goldman  
Bryson mother was  
17 years before she  
was married to John Bryson  
or mother might be  
of Indian blood  
from the negro side  
of the house.  
Also we had some of  
the same Indian blood  
at that time. (Please let me

hear from you  
soon as possible  
Yours truly  
Mrs Susan C. Hunt,

I have but one sister  
living is  
Mrs Fannie Cardin.

This is the number of my  
claim also my minor  
children 1842,  
I have six children living  
and five dead.  
Hope to hear soon.  
Susan C. Hunt,

No. 26785

Action: Inquest

Name

L. M. White

and

children.

Residence:

Langston, Tenn.

Reasons:

Same cause of death as in same case.



No. 6758  
Name A. M. White  
With No. 35376.  
Remarks:

No. 36788

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

J. C. M. White

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1906, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*John Andrew F. E. Kenney White*

Indian name:

*Demis or Demys or Demyzan*

2. Residence and post office:

*Livingston Tennessee*

3. County:

*Overton*

4. State:

*Tennessee*

5. How old are you?

*41 years*

Born

*1865 Sep. 15*

6. Where were you born?

*in Monroe County Tennessee*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Cora Ethel White (Went)*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he ~~she~~ belong?

*Cherokee of reputable descent*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                | AGE.            | BORN.                |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Caedna White</i>  | <i>13 years</i> | <i>1893 Aug. 31+</i> |
| (2) | <i>Haskell White</i> | <i>11 "</i>     | <i>1895 Oct. 28</i>  |
| (3) | <i>Ellie White</i>   | <i>9 "</i>      | <i>1897 Jan. 9</i>   |
| (4) | <i>Snelly White</i>  | <i>8 "</i>      | <i>1899 Dec. 10</i>  |
| (5) | <i>Dyeta White</i>   | <i>6 "</i>      | <i>1901 June 9</i>   |
| (6) | <i>Lais White</i>    | <i>3 "</i>      | <i>1903 Nov. 23</i>  |
| (7) | <i>Ellita White</i>  | <i>1 "</i>      | <i>1906 April 17</i> |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*Samuel Andrew Jackson White*

Indian name:

*Demis or Demys or Demyzan*

Mother—English name:

*Sarah Hassie Forshee*

Indian name:

*None or I know not*

Maiden name:

*Sarah Hassie Forshee*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Monroe County Tennessee*

Mother:

*Monroe County Tennessee*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In Ouston County Tennessee.

Mother: Monroe County Tennessee.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 25-1890.

Mother: Still living.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|       | NAME.             | BORN.               | DIED.      |
|-------|-------------------|---------------------|------------|
| (1)   | Mrs. Ella Reed    | 1861                |            |
|       | Monroe Tenn       |                     |            |
| (2)   | J. W. White       | 1863                |            |
|       | Quincy, Fla.      |                     |            |
| (3)   | C. W. White       | 1867                | 2-26-1897, |
|       | B. F. White       | 1872                | 4 26 1886. |
| ✓ (4) | E. D. White       | 1869                |            |
|       | Livingston Tenn.  |                     |            |
| (5)   | Mrs. N. Armstrong | 1874 in Texas       |            |
|       | J. L. White       | 1876 Monroe Tenn.   |            |
| (6)   | Hattie Lupton     | 1880 Waterloo Texas |            |
|       | J. B. White       | 1883. died 1899.    |            |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.                               | MOTHER'S SIDE.      |
|--|---------------------|
| Grand Father was                             | Nancy Dennis Ed.    |
| a White and married                          | and kept her maiden |
| Nancy Dennis Ed.                             | name or Indian name |
| a Cherokee Indian (in 1840 until she married |                     |

18. Where were they born? Grand Mother in Caswell County N.C.  
Grand in Monroe Co. Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                       |                          |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | John D. White         | Ouston Co. Tenn. Oakley. |
| (2) | E. W. White           | died in Civil War.       |
| (3) | Polly White           | Livingston Tennessee     |
| (4) | Samuel Andrew Jackson |                          |
| (5) | White                 | died Nov 25-1890.        |
| (6) |                       |                          |

My Grand Child

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Grand mother what's maiden name was Nancy Dennis was the daughter of John Dennis who came from N.C.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have been taught that I had Cherokee Indian blood in me. Grand mother said that I was an Indian & have been taught

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) John Andrew McHenry White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

O. J. Cullen  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 5

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M. A. Thomas  
and I. S. Sedford, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Andrew McHenry who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. A. Thomas

I. S. Sedford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

July 5

1910

O. J. Cullen  
Notary Public.

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*That I was related to the children, & it is true that old John Dennis was part Indian & have Indian blood in me.*



N.C.

That I was related to the Quilomb. If it  
be true that Old John Dennis was part  
Indian & have Indian blood in me.



J. A. M. White

& Exhibit

2 } "A"

Application for how  
in Eastern Cherokee  
lands

State of Tennessee  
Deenton County } Affidavit.

J. M. Cairns makes oath that he  
personally knew John Dennis, Jr. and  
James Dennis both of whom were  
born in Caswell County North

Carolina and were sons of John  
Dennis, (Dennyzan) (Dennys) of

Caswell County, North Carolina,  
that <sup>he</sup> has heard them discuss the question  
frequently and they always taught and  
told him that their father, John  
Dennis, (Dennyzan) (Dennys) was a (1)

(2) Cherokee Indian, that both said  
John and James Dennis had <sup>the Cherokee</sup> and <sup>tribes</sup> and <sup>tribes</sup>  
the Cherokee Indians, that <sup>he</sup> knew the Indians,

that John Dennis was born in the year  
age 17 of s. that John was 70 years  
old that he was born Dec-

23<sup>rd</sup> 1812, in what is now called  
Deenton County Tennessee,

W. Aug 18 1907.

Attest:  
E. D. White,  
Bell Cairns,

} M. J. Cairns,  
Notary

State of Tennessee  
Owen County } Subscribed and  
Sworn to before me on August  
8th 1907.

My Commission Expires Nov. 5-1907. E. S. White  
Notary Public

J. C. M. White  
E. S. White  
A.

Application for  
in Owen County  
Tennessee

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAY 27 1908  
At

C. E. SNODGRASS, JUDGE  
W. R. OFFICER, ATTORNEY GENERAL

COURT MEETS THIRD MONDAY  
IN FEBRUARY, JUNE, AND OCTOBER

OFFICE OF  
**J. A. M. WHITE**  
CIRCUIT COURT CLERK  
OVERTON COUNTY

LIVINGSTON, TENN. *Dec 28* 1908

Don. Guian Miller Com & C,  
Washington D. C.

Dear sir

In reply to your favor of the 18<sup>th</sup>  
I will say that Elleta White was born April 17-  
1916. all of my children are alive, Seven in all.  
Respectfully  
J. A. M. White

36788

H. T.

No. 26770  
Name *Charles B. Bates* and no children. Residence: *Seneca Tenn.*  
Reasons:

*Success of his claim has same source*

36770



No. 36789-90,

Name .....

With No. 18343

Remarks:

Given to Bates  
by ... ..  
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No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Calvin B. Bates*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

*Calvin B. Bates*

Indian name:

*McKinney*

2. Residence and post office:

*Seminole*

3. County:

*Oak*

4. State:

*Tenn*

5. How old are you?

*32*

Born

*1875*

6. Where were you born?

*Oak co*

*Tenn*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Lie S. Bates*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

*Cherokee*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

*John Bates*

*1843*

Indian name:

*Mary A. Bates*

Mother—English name:

*Mary A. Bates*

Indian name:

*McKinney*

Maiden name:

*Sutton*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

*Tenn*

Mother:

*Tenn*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Perm

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec 11 1891

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: McKinnies were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.       | BORN.       | DIED.        |
|-----|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| (1) | Jesse Bates | Jan 15 1860 |              |
|     | Mart J. "   | Aug 25 1868 |              |
| (2) | Sarah "     | May 30 1867 | May 17 1887  |
|     | M. Wesley " | May 2 1868  |              |
| (3) | S. Ely "    | Aug 9 1871  |              |
|     | W. Henry "  | Aug 24 1873 |              |
| (4) | Fred S. "   | Jul 12 1878 |              |
|     | S. Lizzie " | Mar 8 1880  | July 24 1888 |
| (5) | Mollie Q. " | Apr 27 1882 |              |
|     | N. A. "     | Mar 28 1886 |              |
| (6) | Car S. "    | Mar 9 1887  |              |
|     | E. A. Bates | Feb 16 1889 |              |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Mart Bates

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jesse Sexton

Lettie Sexton

McKinnies

18. Where were they born? Father in Perm mother 11

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Perm

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Wm Sexton

(2) Newton "

(3) Roll "

(4) Fredrick "

(5) Nettie "

(6) Liza "

pie "

Sarah "

Elizabeth "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

*his mother name Mary A. Bates*  
maiden name *Mary A. Sexton* her mother *Lettie Sexton*  
maiden name *Lettie Sexton* her mother *Anna Sexton*  
maiden name *Anna McSkinner*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*I daughter of Alex McSkinner*

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

*Calvin B. Bates*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

*W. G. Woody*

Notary Public.

My commission expires

*April*, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

*John Lea*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Calvin B. Bates* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *himself* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *his* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

*H. Lea*

*John Lea*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *Aug*, 1907.

My commission expires

*April*, 1910.

*W. G. Woody*

Notary Public.

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No 1079

Action: *Excluded*

Name

*John P. Bates*

and

*children.*

children.

Residence:

*Bellevue, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*indicated that same were*

36790



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Frederick H. Bates*  
*3 Chickamauga*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Fred L. Bates

Indian name: " Mc Kimmey

2. Residence and post office: Reliance

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 29

Born 1879

6. Where were you born? Polk County Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Amanda Bates 26 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.             | AGE.     | BORN.               |
|-----|-------------------|----------|---------------------|
| (1) | <u>Sam Bates</u>  | <u>6</u> | <u>March 1901</u>   |
| (2) | <u>Salah " "</u>  | <u>4</u> | <u>March 1903</u>   |
| (3) | <u>Buller " "</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>May 14, 1906</u> |
| (4) |                   |          |                     |
| (5) |                   |          |                     |
| (6) |                   |          |                     |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Bates

Indian name: " Mc Kimmey

Mother—English name: Maria A. Bates

Indian name: " Mc Kimmey

Maiden name: Settles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Thomson

Mother: 12

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 11 - 1891

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Mc Kimbies

were enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.            | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|------------------|-------|-------|
| (1) | Jessie, R. Bates |       |       |
|     | Mark J. "        |       |       |
| (2) | John "           |       |       |
|     | Agnes M. "       |       |       |
| (3) | J. E. "          |       |       |
|     | Henry "          |       |       |
| (4) | Calvin B. "      |       |       |
|     | Eliza "          |       |       |
| (5) | Mattie "         |       |       |
|     | Lessa "          |       |       |
| (6) | Jim G. "         |       |       |
|     | Ellie "          |       |       |
|     | Lilly "          |       |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Jessie H. Sexton  
" "  
Lettie Sexton  
" "  
Mc Kimbie

18. Where were they born? S.C. (My mother)

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Thomson

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |             |  |
|-----|-------------|--|
| (1) | Wm. Sexton  |  |
| (2) | Newton "    |  |
| (3) | Roll "      |  |
| (4) | Fredrick "  |  |
| (5) | Nettie "    |  |
| (6) | Lissa "     |  |
|     | Frankie "   |  |
|     | Sarah "     |  |
|     | Elizabeth " |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: up Kansas

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: my mother's name Mary A. Bates

maiden name Mary A. Sexton my mother's name  
Lettie Sexton maiden name Lettie her  
mother Anna Head maiden name Anna McKinnel

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

A daughter of A. McKinnel

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Fred G. Bates

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of April, 1907.

Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and John Lea, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Fred G. Bates

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

20 years respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Lea

John Lea

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of April, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1910.

Notary Public.

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No. 36791

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Samuel Negwood* and *X* children.

Residence: *Meadow View, Va.*

Reason:

*Same thing to the same source  
as R 2473*

36791

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Samuel C. Hayward*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Samuel Carwood

Indian name: Samuel Keywood

2. Residence and post office: Meadow View R.F.D. #2 Near Lindell

3. County: Washington

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 45 Born May 21<sup>st</sup> 1851

6. Where were you born? in about 2 miles of Keywood Washington Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Fannie is about 46 years old

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not any

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.          | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|----------------|------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Not any</u> |      |       |
| (2) |                |      |       |
| (3) |                |      |       |
| (4) |                |      |       |
| (5) |                |      |       |
| (6) |                |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Stephen Keywood Carwood

Indian name: Stephen Keywood

Mother—English name: Cherry Carwood

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Nancy McEwen

12. Where were they born?

Father: in about 2 miles of Keywood Washington Co

Mother: in about 2 miles of Keywood Washington Co

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in about 2 miles of Keywood Washington Co.

Mother: Saltsville Washington Co 7 2 Near Keywood Pa

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Stephen Keywood born March 13<sup>th</sup> 1819 died Dec 28

Mother: Livsey born Aug 10 1829 died Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1899

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: Katawby

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                              | BORN.                           | DIED.         |
|-----|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| (1) | <u>Joseph B</u>                    | <u>Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 1860</u> | <u>Living</u> |
|     | <u>Plaster Co Washington Co Pa</u> |                                 |               |
| (2) |                                    |                                 |               |
| (3) | <u>Tobias</u>                      | <u>Nov 21<sup>st</sup> 1863</u> |               |
|     | <u>Meadowview Pa</u>               |                                 |               |
| (4) |                                    |                                 |               |
| (5) | <u>Amanda Thomas</u>               | <u>December 1 1864</u>          |               |
|     | <u>State Shing Pa</u>              |                                 |               |
| (6) |                                    |                                 |               |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

|                       |                     |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| <u>Thomas Keywood</u> | <u>John McNew</u>   |
| <u>Abilha Keywood</u> | <u>Rachel McNew</u> |

18. Where were they born? at Keywood Pa

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 2 miles Keywood Pa

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                   |  |
|-----|-------------------|--|
| (1) | <u>John McNew</u> |  |
| (2) | <u>Abilha</u>     |  |
| (3) | <u>Amanda</u>     |  |
| (4) | <u>Margaret</u>   |  |
| (5) | <u>Margaret</u>   |  |
| (6) |                   |  |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not any

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My father born 1814 her name

son of Moses Keywood who was a son of a Gusty Cherokee Indian and of Mother tribe but the Gusty Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grand father Moses Keywood's Mother was called the  
Gusty Indian because she loved and a full blood Gusty  
her name was Gusty and I have all the by my heart and  
other all people used that I am a descendant of the Gusty

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Samuel Keywood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1907.

Wm M. Thompson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

and

J. J. Galliker  
J. J. Galliker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Keywood who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. J. Galliker  
J. J. Galliker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 1908. Wm M. Thompson  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Rec MAY 28 1908

No. 3679/.

State of Virginia Washington  
County to wit. This is to certify  
that Mr. John H. Black  
well. 86 years old and  
Elizabeth Blackwell 74 years  
old. personally appeared before  
me in my County and  
also Mrs. Amanda Scott 70  
years old. and certify that  
they was well acquainted  
with. Moses Caywood or  
Keywood as he was sometimes  
called and that he was  
called by all who knew  
him as a Half Cherokee  
Indian they also state that  
his looks and all his ac-  
tions went to prove that  
he was part Indian he was



of Cherokee Blount.  
Samuel D. Gaywood <sup>Keywood</sup> iohos  
Name and Numbered Receipt  
36781 Apperant is here given  
is a grandson of Thos.  
Keywood or Gaywood and a  
S. inf. Stephen Gaywood  
now dead he had three  
sons and one daughter  
4th son living  
Thos Aff. with Taken in  
behalf of Samuel D. Gaywood <sup>Keywood</sup>  
whose Name and Numbered  
Recd appears as a witness  
my hand and seal

This May 23. 1908  
Wm Galliker  
A Justice of the Peace  
P.O. Meadow View Va B L Bone

This is to Certify that I am  
personally Acquainted with  
Samuel D. Gaywood <sup>or Keywood</sup> and  
that he is the person he  
claims to be.  
Wm Galliker  
J. P.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES

Dec. MAY 28 1908

No. 36791

State of Virginia Washington  
County Court This is to Certify  
that Mr. John L Blackwell  
86 years old and Elizabeth  
Blackwell 77 years old  
and Armand Scott 70 years  
old personally appeared &  
before me in my County and  
Certified that they was  
well acquainted with Moses  
Keywood or <sup>and that</sup> Caywood as he  
was. Some times Called and  
that he was Called by all  
who knew him as an  
half Cherokee Indian  
They also State that his  
lookes and all his actions  
went to prove that he  
was part Indian he was



of Cherokee Blood

Tobias Caywood whose name  
8754 and Numbered  
Receipt is here given is a  
Grand Son of Moses Key  
wood or Caywood now dead  
and a Son of Stephen  
Caywood or Keywood now.  
Dead he had 3. Sons and  
one daughter now living  
Thos Affidavit Taken in  
before of Tobias Caywood or  
Keywood whose name and  
Numbered Receipt. Appears above  
Witness my hand and

Seal  
This May 23. 1908.

Wm Galliker a Justice  
of the Peace. P.O.  
Healdsburg. Rout 2  
Box 33

This is to Certify that I  
am personally Acquain  
ted with Tobias Keywood  
or Caywood and that he is  
the person he claims to  
be  
Wm Galliker  
J. P.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JUL 30 1909  
No.

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No. 36792, Action: *Reject.*  
Name *Fannie Cottrell* and 2 children. Residence: *Salina, Ks.*  
Reason:

*Claim through the same source  
as # 24230*

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No 36792  
Name *James Smith*  
With No. 29230.  
Remarks:



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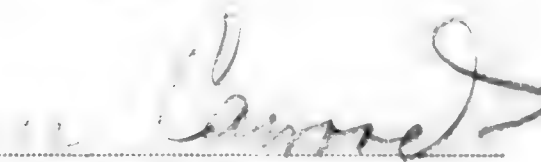
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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

  
For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Hannie Carwood

Indian name: Keywood

2. Residence and post office: Meadowview R.D. #2 Box 33

3. County: Washington

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 31 Born Sept. 16, 1874

6. Where were you born? Salisbury Washington Co. Va.

7. Are you married? yes I am VanBuren Keywood 3d wife

8. Name and age of wife or husband: VanBuren Carwood

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? VanBuren Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: VanBuren Keywood died leaving minor children

|     | NAME.          | AGE. | BORN.                      |
|-----|----------------|------|----------------------------|
| (1) | Mary E Keywood | 10   | Sept 16 <sup>th</sup> 1897 |
| (2) | Katie          | 4    | Jan - 11 1903              |
| (3) | Mike chicken   |      |                            |
| (4) |                |      |                            |
| (5) |                |      |                            |
| (6) |                |      |                            |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

The names of parents of the above minors

Father—English name: VanBuren Carwood

Indian name: Keywood

Mother—English name: Hannie Carwood

Indian name: Keywood

Maiden name: Hannie Blackwell

12. Where were they born?

Father: VanBuren Keywood 2nd wife Keywood Washington

Mother: Salisbury Washington Co. Va.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born until Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1857

Mother: Not born ... 1876

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Nat Burr Keywood died March 23 1906

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: Nat assy

Keywood name is very spelted Keywood Keywood

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME. | BORN. | DIED. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (2) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (3) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (4) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (5) | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| (6) | ..... | ..... | ..... |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.              | MOTHER'S SIDE.             |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <u>Burr Keywood</u>         | <u>John A Blackwell</u>    |
| <u>Mary Keywood</u>         | <u>Josephine Blackwell</u> |
| <u>English name Keywood</u> | .....                      |
| .....                       | .....                      |

18. Where were they born? about 2 miles Keywood Washington Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 2 miles Keywood Washington Ga

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                  |                |
|-----|------------------|----------------|
| (1) | <u>Josephine</u> | .....          |
| (2) | <u>John A</u>    | .....          |
| (3) | <u>Arthur</u>    | <u>Keywood</u> |
| (4) | <u>William</u>   | .....          |
| (5) | .....            | .....          |
| (6) | .....            | .....          |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and

where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My children grandfather

Benny Keywood is a son of He is a son of Moses and  
Tobitha Keywood. Moses Keywood is a Cherokee

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Old people that was here and acquainted with Moses  
Keywood tells me his mother is a Cherokee and he is a descendant  
of a Cherokee tribe and they will testify to the  
same

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) J. J. Galligan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of Aug, 1907.

Wm. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 1st, 1908.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John J. Galligan

and John Galligan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Hannie Galligan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

25 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John J. Galligan  
John Galligan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

January 1st, 1908.

Wm. H. [Signature]  
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COUNTY CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 28 1908

No. 3279

State of Virginia Washington County. To wit  
This is to Certify that  
Mr. John D. Blackwell 86 years old  
and ~~Eliz.~~ Elizabeth Blackwell 78 years old  
Mrs. Amanda Scott 70 years old

Application Receipt 36.7.92. 497 30 T. H. T.

Personally appeared before me a Justice  
of the peace for the County of Washing-  
ton and State of Virginia and stated on oath  
that they was well Acquainted with  
Moses Cogswell the great Grandfather  
of Mary and Katie Cogswell now living  
in the lifetime of the said Moses Cogswell  
he was known and called by All who  
knew him as a Half Breed Cherokee  
Indian and that his looks and Actions  
went to prove that he was of Indian  
descent and All his records show the  
Indian Blood. Given under My hand and  
Seal.

This April 25 1878.

William J. B. J. B.

This I have seen. Amanda J. B.  
the Mother and guardian of the above  
named children. S. Meadows  
Not. L. B. B.



COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES  
Rec. MAY 28 1908  
No.

Dear Sir I have the honor  
to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th inst.  
and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded  
to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am  
very sorry that I cannot give you a more definite answer  
at this time. I will, however, endeavor to do so as soon as  
possible. I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Yours truly,  
H. J. Folger J. P.

COURT OF CLAIMS  
EASTERN CHEROKEES.  
Rec. JAN 25 1909  
No. 3-679-2

Jan. 23.

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No. 36793

Name *Julia C. Lane*

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons:

and X

children.

Residence: *Alexander, Ala.*

#36793

Neither applicant was an owner, nor an agent,  
Dare and related part of document from a person  
under name a party, to the trial, of 1835 and 1846.

36793

No. 36793

Name *Julia C. Lane*

Action: *Rejected*

Reasons:

and

X

children.

Residence:

*Alexander, Ark.*

#36793

Further applicant was an entire stranger, unconnected,  
Dare not submit a part of document found in person  
under name in party, to the trial, of 1835 and 1846.



No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*India Effie Lane*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

*Julia Effie Lane - (Ne) Snow*

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

*Alexander Arkansas*

3. County:

*Delaware County*

4. State:

*Arkansas*

5. How old are you?

*36* Born *June 8 - 1871*

6. Where were you born?

*Saline County Arkansas*

7. Are you married?

*Yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

*Mr. Calvin Lane*

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                               | AGE.           | BORN.                |
|-----|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| (1) | <i>Geo Solomon &amp; Effie Lane</i> | <i>9 Years</i> | <i>Aug 24 - 1898</i> |
| (2) | <i>Ruth Effie Lane</i>              | <i>Oct 17</i>  | <i>1902</i>          |
| (3) | <i>Nona May Lane</i>                | <i>May 1</i>   | <i>1904</i>          |
| (4) | <i>Alva Augusta Lane</i>            | <i>Jul 13</i>  | <i>1906</i>          |
| (5) |                                     |                |                      |
| (6) |                                     |                |                      |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

*Alonzo Snow*

Father—English name:

*Geo Platter*

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

*Mollie Snow*

Indian name:

Maiden name:

*Mollie Snow*

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

*Georgia*

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Pulaski County Arkansas

Mother: Pulaski " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: J. H. Alley died Jan 28 - 1891

Mother: Moloney Alley died May 27 - 1891

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                 | BORN.                  | DIED.                  |
|-----|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| (1) | <u>Soloniel Alley</u> | <u>June 24 - 1860</u>  | <u><del>1907</del></u> |
| (2) | <u>Sallie Alley</u>   | <u>Aug 13 1865</u>     | <u>dead 1907</u>       |
|     | <u>Nectie Alley</u>   | <u>April 20th 1869</u> | <u>dead 1891</u>       |
| (3) | <u>Will Alley</u>     | <u>March 27 - 1867</u> | <u>dead 1885</u>       |
|     | <u>Maudie Alley</u>   | <u>Sept 1 1873</u>     | <u>Ne Italy</u>        |
| (4) | <u>Matthie Alley</u>  | <u>Feb 25 1876</u>     | <u>Ne Hickman</u>      |
|     | <u>Frank Alley</u>    | <u>April 1 1878</u>    |                        |
| (5) |                       |                        |                        |
| (6) |                       |                        |                        |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Snow also call Frost

18. Where were they born?

Some where in Georgia

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Saline County Arkansas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |             |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Salomon Snow</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Will Snow</u>    | <u>dead</u> |
| (3) | <u>Zac Snow</u>     | <u>dead</u> |
| (4) | <u>Josh Snow</u>    | <u>dead</u> |
| (5) | <u>Molanie Snow</u> | <u>dead</u> |
| (6) |                     |             |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Mother Melanie Alley (Ne Snow)  
Charles Snow

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Have been informed that he was Enrolled  
In 1835

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Mrs. Julia Effie Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

C. U. Harrison  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Apr 10<sup>th</sup>, 1909.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me W. J. Cameron

and \_\_\_\_\_, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Julia Effie Lane (Ne Alley) who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, and know \_\_\_\_\_ to be the identical person \_\_\_\_\_ represents her self to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. J. Cameron  
W. H. Swift

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

Apr 10<sup>th</sup>, 1909. C. U. Harrison  
Notary Public.

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No. 35

Name

Joe B. [unclear]

Action:

Adm.

Reasons:

and

X

children.

Residence:

Greenwood, O.

Born of #920 and claims thro'  
the same [unclear]

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No. 36794-5

Name .....  
With No. 920,

Remarks:  
J. H. Byers  
J. H. Byers



No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*John Taylor*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jul Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Flinn-Dist- to N Evansville

3. County: Washington

4. State: Ark

5. How old are you? 27 Born 1879

6. Where were you born? Flinn-Dist- to N

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Nick Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Ellen Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Miller

12. Where were they born?

Father: Old Nation

Mother: Longsnake Dist- to N

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Flint Dist - OH

Mother: Longsnake Dist - OH

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: for Money & Land

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Alfred Byers</u> | <u>1882</u> |       |
| (2) |                     |             |       |
| (3) |                     |             |       |
| (4) |                     |             |       |
| (5) |                     |             |       |
| (6) |                     |             |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <u>Erzicah Byers</u> | <u>Alfred Miller</u> |
|                      |                      |
|                      |                      |
|                      |                      |

18. Where were they born? Old Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |             |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Sullie Byers</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Betty</u>        | <u>"</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Charley</u>      | <u>"</u>    |
| (4) | <u>George</u>       | <u>"</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Joe</u>          | <u>"</u>    |
| (6) | <u>Kayam</u>        | <u>"</u>    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: for Land & Money

Cherokee Nation

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) J E Byers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

J R Kline  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 29, 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J D Dunaway

and G E Denton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Joe Byers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J D Dunaway  
G E Denton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August, 1907.

My commission expires

29 June, 1910. J R Kline  
Notary Public.

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No. 36795

Name

Alfred B. B.

Action:

Admit.

Reasons:

and

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children.

Residence:

Gransville, O. R.

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the same as...

36795

No. \_\_\_\_\_

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*Alfred J. Byers*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Alfred Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Residence and post office: Flint Dist - C N. Evansville

3. County: Washington

4. State: Ind.

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1882

6. Where were you born? Flint Dist - C N

7. Are you married? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Name and age of wife or husband: \_\_\_\_\_

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

|     | NAME. | AGE.  | BORN. |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| (1) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (2) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (3) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (4) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (5) | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (6) | _____ | _____ | _____ |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: \_\_\_\_\_

Father—English name: Nick Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother—English name: Ellen Byers

Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Maiden name: Miller

12. Where were they born?

Father: Old Nation

Mother: Going Snake Dist - C N

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Flint-Dist- to N

Mother: Goingsnake Dist- to N

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: 16

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,  
and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                                       | BORN.       | DIED. |
|-----|---|-------------|-------|
| (1) | <u>Joe Byers</u><br><u>Flint-Dist- to N</u> | <u>1879</u> |       |
| (2) |   |             |       |
| (3) |   |             |       |
| (4) |   |             |       |
| (5) |   |             |       |
| (6) |   |             |       |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Original Byers

Alfred Miller

18. Where were they born? Old Nation

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                     |             |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|
| (1) | <u>Lillie Byers</u> | <u>Dead</u> |
| (2) | <u>Billie</u>       | <u>"</u>    |
| (3) | <u>Chandy</u>       | <u>"</u>    |
| (4) | <u>George</u>       | <u>"</u>    |
| (5) | <u>Joe</u>          | <u>"</u>    |
| (6) | <u>Kayann</u>       | <u>"</u>    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: for Land & money

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: \_\_\_\_\_

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Alfred Byers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

J. K. Helms

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 29, 1910.

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. D. Dunaway  
and E. E. Denton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Alfred Byers  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 6 years and  
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents  
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Dunaway

E. E. Denton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 29, 1910.

J. K. Helms

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No. 36796

Action: (Reject)

Name: Myrtle Melina Herndon 1 children.

Residence: Quincy, Mo.

Reasons:

None of 36608.

No. 1796-98

Name

With No.

Remarks:

1796-98  
1796-98  
1796-98



*100*  
No. \_\_\_\_\_

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Myrtle Melvina Herndon*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.              | AGE. | BORN.        |
|-----|--------------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Esther Fay Hembree |      | Sep 12. 1905 |
| (2) |                    |      |              |
| (3) |                    |      |              |
| (4) |                    |      |              |
| (5) |                    |      |              |
| (6) |                    |      |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Unborn

Mother: Unborn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 23. 1902

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.               | BORN.         | DIED.  |
|-----|---------------------|---------------|--------|
| (1) | Lula May Coin       | Oct. 26. 1891 | living |
|     | Bertie Thomas Coin  | Aug. 23. 1895 | living |
| (2) | Mary Jane Blades    | Aug. 14. 1881 | living |
|     | all of Quenweg. Mo. |               |        |
| (3) |                     |               |        |
| (4) |                     |               |        |
| (5) |                     |               |        |
| (6) |                     |               |        |

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

| FATHER'S SIDE.       | MOTHER'S SIDE.       |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <u>James J. Coin</u> | <u>George Hodges</u> |

18. Where were they born? Coin in Tenn. Hodges in Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both in Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                     |                    |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| (1) | Louisa Coin                         |                    |
| (2) | Angeline Coin                       |                    |
| (3) | Patience Coin                       |                    |
| (4) | James Coin                          |                    |
| (5) | Thomas Coin                         |                    |
| (6) | Turner Coin                         |                    |
|     | Newland Coin                        |                    |
|     | Martha Jane Mikesell. (nee Hodges.) | dead. (my father.) |
|     | Emily Davis. (nee Hodges.)          | Quenweg. Mo.       |
|     | James Hodges                        | Ruth. Mo.          |
|     | Nancy Arena Coin                    | Quenweg. Mo.       |
|     | Mary Ann Martin (nee Hodges)        | dead               |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great-grandfather Corin on father's side was a full blooded Cherokee of the Eastern Cherokees. On mother's side was Welcome Hodges.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Myrtle Melvina Hembree

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. C. Lewis  
and J. C. Hargis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say  
that they are well acquainted with Myrtle Melvina Hembree  
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and  
2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents  
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their  
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Vain Evans

Florence Linn

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. (X) Lewis

J. C. Hargis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

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H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,  
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,  
601 OURAY BUILDING,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Myrtle M. Hembree*  
*Quenow, Mo.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 36796, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1908, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

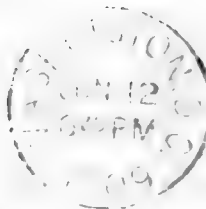
GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.



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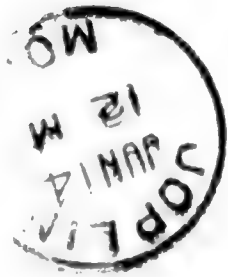
Myrtle Melvina Hembree

Interweg,

Mo.

36796

Unknown





No. 36797

Action: Report

Name: Margaret 'Blades' and 1 children.

Residence: Lawrence, Mo.

Reasons:

Dec 7 1908

36797

No. \_\_\_\_\_

## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Jane Blakes.*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—  
English name: Mary Jane Blades,  
Indian name: same  
2. Residence and post office: Queenweg.  
3. County: Jasper  
4. State: Missouri  
5. How old are you? 26 Born August 14, 1881.  
6. Where were you born? Highlandville, Christian Co. Mo.  
7. Are you married? Yes.  
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Richard Blades, age 29.  
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none  
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.                      | AGE. | BORN.                 |
|-----|----------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| (1) | <u>Edith Valega Blades</u> |      | <u>Feb. 28, 1899.</u> |
| (2) |                            |      |                       |
| (3) |                            |      |                       |
| (4) |                            |      |                       |
| (5) |                            |      |                       |
| (6) |                            |      |                       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Newland Addison Coin  
Indian name: same  
Mother—English name: Nancy Arena Coin  
Indian name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Maiden name: Nancy Arena Hodge

12. Where were they born?

Father: Nixa, Christian Co. Mo.  
Mother: Stone Co. Mo.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not living

Mother: Not

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 23. 1982

Mother: still living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                  | BORN.         | DIED.   |
|-----|------------------------|---------------|---------|
| (1) | Lula May Coin          | Oct. 26. 1891 | living. |
|     | Bertie Thomas Coin     | Aug. 23. 1895 | living. |
| (2) | All q. Quenweg. Mo.    |               |         |
|     | Myrtle Melvina Hembree | Dec. 24. 1884 | living  |
| (3) |                        |               |         |

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

(5) \_\_\_\_\_

(6) \_\_\_\_\_

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

James J. Coin

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George Hodges.

18. Where were they born? Coin in Tennessee. Hodges in Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Both in Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|     |                                   |                          |
|-----|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) | Louisa Coin                       | Springfield. Mo.         |
| (2) | Lina Coin                         | don't know               |
| (3) | Puralee Coin                      | dead                     |
| (4) | James Coin                        | dead                     |
| (5) | Thomas Coin                       | don't know               |
| (6) | Turner Coin                       | dead                     |
|     | Newland Coin                      | dead (my father)         |
|     | Martha Jane Hikesall (nee Hodges) | Quenweg. Mo.             |
|     | Emily Davis. (nee Hodges.)        | Ruth. Mo.                |
|     | James Hodges.                     | Quenweg. Mo.             |
|     | Nancy Anna Coin                   | Quenweg. Mo. (my mother) |
|     | Mary Ann Martin (nee Hodges)      | dead.                    |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great-grandfather

Coin on / father's side was a full blooded  
Cherokee of the Eastern Cherokees. on mother's  
side Welcome Hedges.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Mary Jane Blades

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug. 1907.

H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Lewis

and J. C. Hargis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Jane Blades who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Vera Egan

Flossie Rins

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Lewis

J. C. Hargis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug. 1907.

My commission expires

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H.W. Sterling

Notary Public.

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W. H. C. Co.  
WHEAT CHEROKEE  
AUG 25 1909  
No. 1000000



Quincy Mo.  
Aug 21. 1904.

Sir  
In reply to your letter received on  
June the 14<sup>th</sup> in regards to my  
application no 36787. concerning  
in the lands arising from the  
judgment of the Court in claims  
in favor of the Eastern Shoshone.  
You wish to know the English and  
I have none of my records  
through which claim is made  
but I can say that  
James H. H. who was born in  
1804. and came from Tennessee  
to Utah. where he was married

Dunwoody Mo.  
Aug 21. 1864.

Sir  
In reply to your letter received on  
June the 14<sup>th</sup> in regards to my  
application no 36787. in a forecipation  
in the funds arising from the  
judgment of the Court. I claim  
as heir of the Eastern Blecker.  
You wish to know the English. and  
I have none of my ancestor  
through whom claim is made  
but I have my name but  
James H. H. who was born in  
1804. and came from Tennessee  
to Texas. These County records

in the year 1847. and lived there  
until his Death in the year 1851.  
Pastoria address was Nixa Lane  
about 1840. and he was 47 years  
old in 1851. You wish to know  
if Worcester was omitted from  
the roll. so far as we know he  
was applied for participation  
in the funds in May at any  
rate. If these questions are not  
satisfactorily answered  
please write me again.

Very respectfully,

Henry Jones Blakes

Wm. May. 1850.

No. *36778* Action: *Report*  
Name *Julia May Lane*  
*Walter Lane* and — children. Residence: *Lucas, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Spouse of 36605*

*36778*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

*Lula May* <sup>OF</sup> *Coin*  
*Bertie Thomas* <sup>and</sup> *Coin* *known*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

*we* hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

*Application made by guardian*

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: *Lulu May Ginnard Berlin Thomas Goin.*

Indian name: *Goin.*

2. Residence and post office: *Durham, N.C.*

3. County: *Durham*

4. State: *N.C.*

5. How old are you? *16 and 13.* Born *Oct. 26. 1891. & Aug. 23. 1895.*

6. Where were you born? *Durham, N.C.*

7. Are you married? *Yes, married.*

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? *Cherokee.*

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME. | AGE. | BORN. |
|-----|-------|------|-------|
| (1) |       |      |       |
| (2) |       |      |       |
| (3) |       |      |       |
| (4) |       |      |       |
| (5) |       |      |       |
| (6) |       |      |       |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: *Nathan Addison Goin.*

Indian name: *Goin.*

Mother—English name: *Nancy Ann Hodge.*

Indian name: *Nancy Ann Hodge.*

Maiden name: *Nancy Ann Hodge.*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Nix, Ga.*

Mother: *S. C.*



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

No. living.

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Dec. 33. 1903.

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

living.

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME                          | BORN.          | DIED.   |
|-----|-------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| (1) | Mary Jane Bladen (n. Coin)    | Aug. 14. 1881. | living. |
| (1) | Myrl Melvina Humber (n. Coin) | Dec. 24. 1884. | living. |
| (2) | All of Owenweg, Mo.           |                |         |
| (3) |                               |                |         |
| (4) |                               |                |         |
| (5) |                               |                |         |
| (6) |                               |                |         |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.  
John J. Coin.

MOTHER'S SIDE.  
George Humber.

18. Where were they born? Coin in Va. Humber in Kentucky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Coin in Va. Humber in Va.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

|      |              |                 |
|------|--------------|-----------------|
| (1)  | Louis Coin   | Springfield, V. |
| (2)  | Pauline Coin | dead, Va.       |
| (3)  | John Coin    | dead.           |
| (4)  | James Coin   | dead, Va.       |
| (5)  | William Coin | dead.           |
| (6)  | William Coin | dead.           |
| (7)  | William Coin | dead.           |
| (8)  | William Coin | dead.           |
| (9)  | William Coin | dead.           |
| (10) | William Coin | dead.           |
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| (18) | William Coin | dead.           |
| (19) | William Coin | dead.           |
| (20) | William Coin | dead.           |

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not enrolled.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Great grandfather -- Coin on father's side. He was a full blooded Cherokee, descendant of the Barren Cherokees. On mother's side -- Welcome Hodges

#### REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

(This application is made by the mother of the children. They are too old enough to make an application for themselves. She is the legal guardian of the children.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Nancy arena coin gar.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug 1907.

H W Sterling  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1907, 190

#### AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. A. Lewis  
and J. C. Hargis, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nancy arena coin who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Edwin Evans  
Mossie Linn.

J. A. Lewis  
J. C. Hargis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Aug, 1907.

My commission expires

1907, 190

H W Sterling  
Notary Public.

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No. 36799

Action: *Reject*

Name *Anna Ambrose Nelson and*

children.

Residence: *1012 East Fifth St*

*Duplin Mo.*

Reasons:

#36799 *Winchester were not parties to hearing of 1835-36 & 46, were not connected with Cherokee,*

*Moral Text P. 2325,*

36799

No 36799

Name James A. Wilson

With No.

Remarks:

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Received of  
Mr. August  
26, 1908.

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## EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

*James Ambrose Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee  
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in  
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May  
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,**  
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

|     | NAME.             | AGE. | BORN.        |
|-----|-------------------|------|--------------|
| (1) | Ray Wilson        |      | Sept 28 1894 |
| (2) | Lelia Bell Wilson |      | Jan 11 1897  |
| (3) |                   |      |              |
| (4) |                   |      |              |
| (5) |                   |      |              |
| (6) |                   |      |              |

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:



13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Chesapeake Nation

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:

May 26 1890

Mother:

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

(1)

NAME.

BORN.

DIED.

unnie melinda wilson april 20 1873

Baptist Spring House R F N H L

(2)

murray wilson June 10 1878

unlike mo

(3)

John Edward wilson Sept 2 1886

unlike mo

(4)

(5)

(6)

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

1. Thomas wilson

Augustus Rayman

1. Thomas wilson

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Mary wilson

Mary Ann Rayman

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18. Where were they born?

North Carolina and Canada

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Vermont

Chesapeake Nation

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)

John wilson - Sister Rayman

(2)

Annasie wilson - sister Rayman

(3)

Lizvia Rayman

(4)

(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Ambrose  
Wilson Grand father  
Thomas Wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Ambrose Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907.

Byron H. Heron  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me D. C. Turnbull

and J. M. Culton who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Ambrose Wilson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

D. C. Turnbull

J. M. Culton

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Appl. # 36799

Nov 7, 1930.

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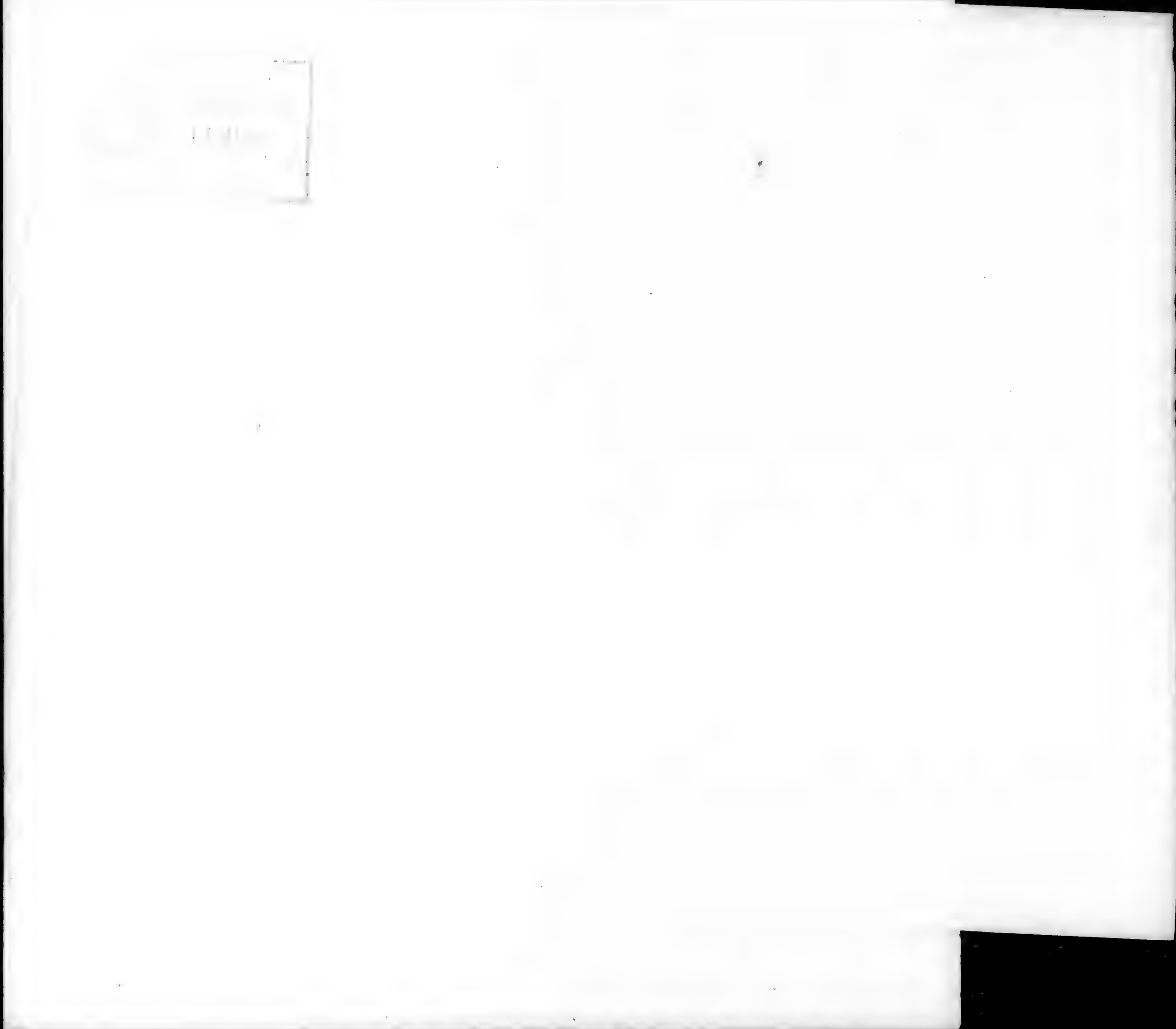
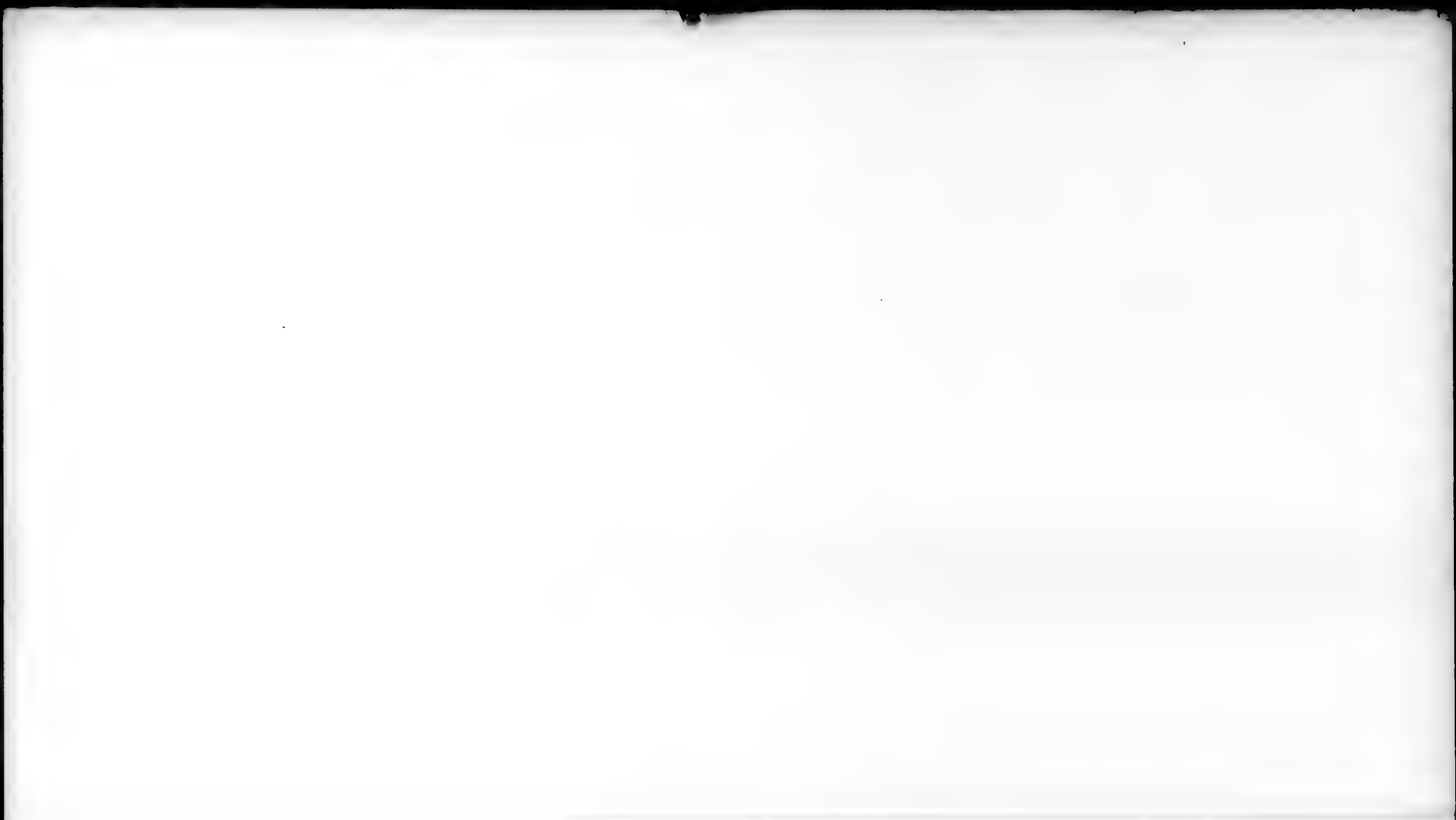
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Mr. Lillian Miller  
Washington + Co

Sir Relative to your inquiry  
Application No 36794 of The  
Western Cherokee for my Grand  
father James Wilson Resided with  
the Cherokee Tribe in North Carolina  
I do not know why my Grand father  
James Wilson who we believe was  
Indian blood though was not  
included in 1851 nor of my Parents  
as Grand Parents was ever known  
and race of people was always  
retained as Indians in the  
communities in which we Resided

Yours, J. Wilson

James J. Wilson

No. 36799.

Eliza Emma Wilson, being first duly sworn and examined,  
deposes and says:

My name is Eliza Emma Wilson; I am the mother of  
James A. Wilson; James A. Wilson claims his Indian blood  
through his father and none through me; I think my husband  
was born in U. S.; I do not know the part of U. S.; my husband  
was born in 1846; my husband, Ambrose Wilson, claimed his Indian  
blood through his father, Thomas Wilson; I never saw my father-  
in-law, Thomas Wilson; I think Thomas Wilson was born in U. S.;  
I do not know the part of U. S.; I do not know the date of his birth;  
he died in the Cherokee Nation in what is now Oklahoma;  
Thomas Wilson came to the Cherokee Nation in Oklahoma in 1851;  
I think my husband's father, Thomas Wilson, lived with the  
Cherokees in U. S.; to the best of my knowledge, Thomas Wilson  
was a half Cherokee; I do not think Thomas Wilson was  
ever admitted to the Cherokee Nation; I do not know where Thomas  
Wilson lived in 1846; I do not know my father and I and my mother  
lived in Ind. Terr.; none of us went through whom my son  
claims blood shared in any Indian payment either in the East or  
Ind. Terr.; my children are about an eighth Cherokee.

*Eliza Emma Wilson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at \_\_\_\_\_, Mo.,  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1906.

*[Signature]*  
Register to Special Commissioner  
of the Court of Claims.



No. 36800

Action: *Repeal*

Name: *John Edward Wilson*

children.

Residence:

*Jefferson Mo.*

Reasons:

*Insider of company*

No. 10527-62

Name \_\_\_\_\_

With No.

Remarks:

No. \_\_\_\_\_

**EASTERN CHEROKEES.**

APPLICATION

OF

*John Edward Wilson*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,  
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SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

NAME.

AGE.

BORN.

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

|     | NAME.                | BORN.         | DIED. |
|-----|----------------------|---------------|-------|
| (1) | James Ambrose Wilson | July 14 1873  |       |
|     | John Mc              |               |       |
| (2) | Annie Melinda Wilson | April 20 1873 |       |
|     | Beth Springs, Kans   |               |       |
| (3) | Murray Wilson        | June 10 1878  |       |
|     | John Mc              |               |       |
| (4) |                      |               |       |
| (5) |                      |               |       |
| (6) |                      |               |       |

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

James Wilson + Mary Wilson  
Thomas Wilson + Mary Ambrose  
x +

18. Where were they born? the north west

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Everett, Keeweenaw

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John Wilson Titus Kayman
- (2) Ambrose Wilson John Kayman
- (3) Elizabeth Kayman
- (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) \_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Ambrose Wilson Grand father Thomas Wilson

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

John Edward Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of August 1907

Byron H. Leeson  
Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 26, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

D. C. Turnbull

and

J. N. Culter

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Edward Wilson

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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| COURT OF CLAIMS<br>EASTERN CHEROKEES. |             |
| Rec.                                  | AUG 25 1909 |
| No.                                   | 36800       |

Joplin Mo  
Aug. 20, 1909.

Bureau of Indian Affairs

Sir, Why did Guin Miller  
reject our claims to this  
Eastern Cherokee lands  
we have more blood cousins  
that have received lands and  
money, we were left orphans  
and all our proof is all  
dead except one of 12 and  
she cannot remember  
enough to help us.  
we were the supposed full-  
blood that appeared before  
Mr Black at Bartlesville Mo.

August 26, 1908.

We have our Father's dying  
testimony to the affect  
of our Cherokee Blood  
Our application card are  
numbered as follows

James H. Wilson 36.799

Emma H. Woodard 36.802

Murray Wilson 36.801

John O. Wilson 36.800

1012. e 5st. Joplin Mo

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